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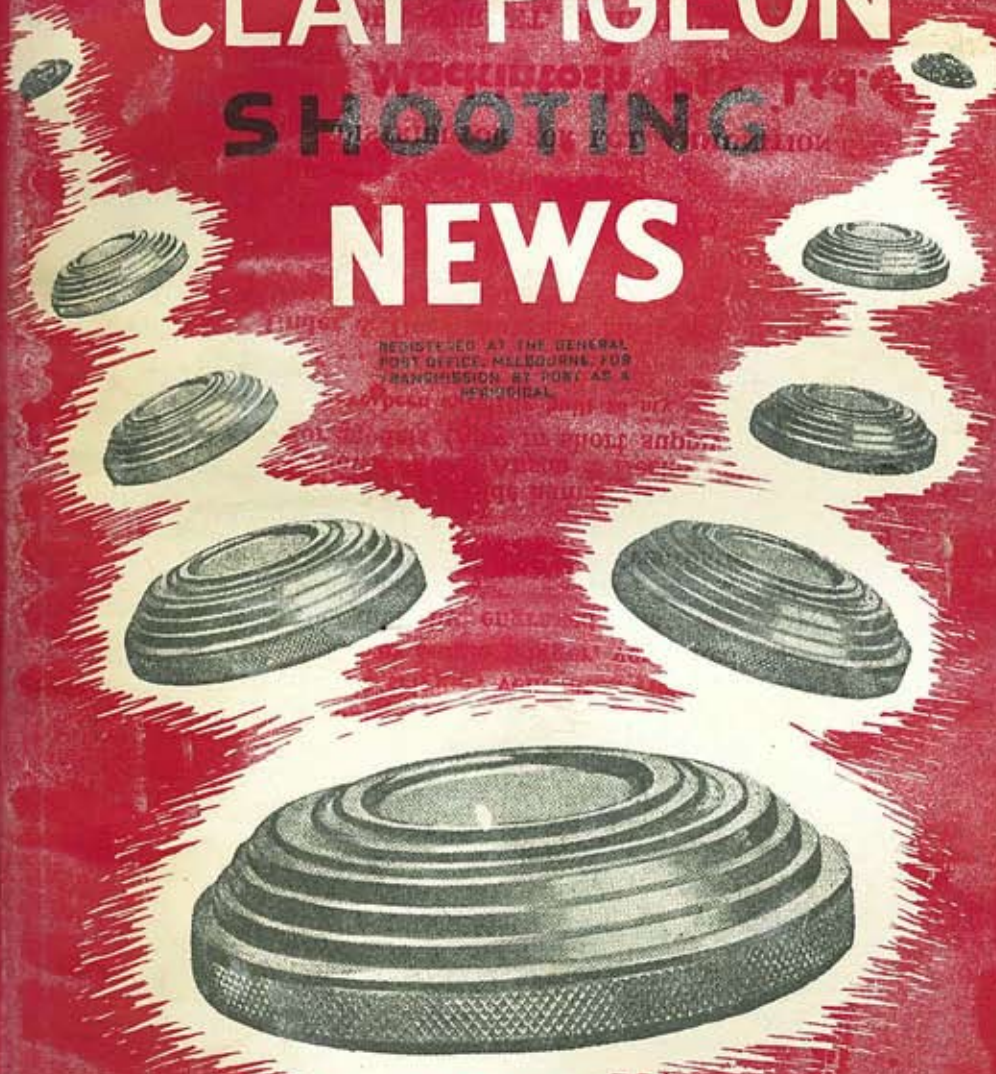
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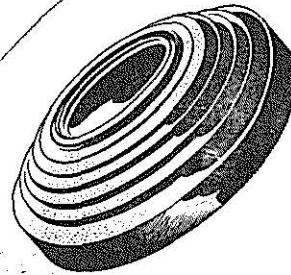
Clubs seeking information on lay-out, formation, etc., will receive immediate attention on application to Secretary A.C.P.T.S.A.

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The Editor's Notebook

The 1953 Interstate Teams' Match has been won by the Queensland combination, which shot at Roma. Queensland registered 471/500 and now become the holders of "The Great Britain & Ireland" Trophy for the next 12 months. Tasmania was again runner-up—a position the Tasmanians also held when the inaugural competition was held in 1952. Tasmania registered 469/500, two targets behind Queensland. Victoria was again third, also a similar position to the previous year. Victoria aggregated 460/500, New South Wales totalled 459/500 to be one target behind Victoria, in fourth place. New South Wales won the contest in 1952, when shooting at Griffith. South Australia, 417/500, was next and Western Australia 402/500.

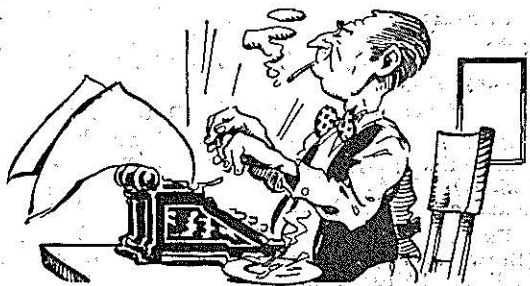
Surprisingly the standard of shooting was anything but high in this match, and this factor applied throughout all teams. On the day previous to the match the winning team at Roma registered 490/500. Queensland was disappointed in its match total and did not expect to win. Tasmanians enjoyed the honour of returning two possibles in their aggregate, the only team to perform this feat. All teams, with the exception of Western Australia, which struck a difficult and squally day, enjoyed good shooting conditions.

Congratulations are extended to Queensland on its success and also to all team members. Special mention is called for in the naming of the possible scorers. These were: Queensland, K. F. Cameron; Tasmania, S. Marshall and Rex Powell; and South Australia, R. Mules.

The Interstate Teams' Match has developed into a first-class competition in which interest in the ultimate result is eagerly maintained.

Future contests are likely to establish the competition further in the calendar of the shooting season in Australia.

A shooter recently wrote to the



Association seeking information on his eligibility to take part in novice competition. The shooter stated that he had already won a novice event. The Association leaves the question referred to entirely to the clubs concerned. Novice competition is always hard to define. If a club decides that once a shooter has been successful in novice competition he is ineligible for further participation in this section, the matter is closed.

The following advice is chiefly for newly affiliated units of the Association. A club recently queried as to whether a shooter's registration card was required to be returned to the Association for amendment. This is not necessary. Either the President or Secretary of the shooter's "home" club may amend a shooter's handicap and make due notation on the card, signing the amendment. When completing such notation the full signature is required—not merely initials, as has been noticed in one or two cases previously. It is also most important to remember that any amendment to a shooter's handicap must be advised to the Association within three days of making the amendment and also giving the reasons for such change.

The 1954 Open Championship allocation, as approved by the Executive Committee of the Association, at its recent meeting, is published in this issue. Club's are requested to accept the published list as official and act upon the allotment shown. No individual advice will be forwarded on this matter.

Interstate Teams' Match

50 Birds per man from 16 yards, using International load shells.

Queensland - Winners "Great Britain and Ireland" Trophy

QUEENSLAND		NEW SOUTH WALES	
K. F. CAMERON	50	NEWTON THOMAS	49
J. W. RALEIGH	49	D. OSBORNE	49
K. D. BASSETT	49	W. A. COMMONS	48
J. D. BASSETT	48	F. HUDSON	47
A. W. MCINTOSH	47	C. NICHOLS	47
JOHN RALEIGH	46	J. YORK	46
W. TURNER	46	H. ANDERSON	45
E. GEARY	46	Dr. A. C. GIBBONS	45
T. STONE	46	R. THOMPSON	44
N. BASSETT	44	A. W. CATT	39
471/500		459/500	

TASMANIA		SOUTH AUSTRALIA	
S. MARSHALL	50	R. MULES	50
R. POWELL	50	R. CURTIS	48
N. FRITH	47	PAUL LAWSON	46
P. MARSHALL	47	A. W. FORBES	46
E. G. McCRAE	47	F. STARLING	45
H. EDDINGTON	46	H. ASH	43
T. CANNON	46	D. FLEETWOOD	39
R. GREEN	46	K. P. SAWERS	35
R. REDPATH	45	W. W. STARLING	35
W. RAINBIRD	45	H. CURNOW	30
469/500		417/500	

VICTORIA		WESTERN AUSTRALIA	
E. G. BIGGS	49	C. FERGUSON	46
Miss NYLA FANKHAUSER	48	W. HEWITT	44
E. BRUCE	48	J. HARRIS	43
H. MARTIN	48	T. BLAKELEY	42
J. BRYANT Junr.	47	T. S. YOUNG	41
A. HAMILTON	46	F. BAILEY	40
L. BOURBAUD	45	J. CONLAN	40
C. MUDFORD	44	R. WAINWRIGHT	39
W. R. JOHNS	44	R. ALEXANDER	34
J. L. LOWE	41	E. G. METCALF	33
460/500		402/500	

Myers' Flat Shooters Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Ground Location: via Bendigo, Victoria (100 miles from Melb.)

Saturday, 28th November, 1953

at 10 a.m.

No. 1 — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.)

No. 2 —

The President's Handicap

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2nd, Kriesler Portable Radio	" £24 13 6
3rd, Canteen Stainless Cutlery	" £15 0 0
4th, Case Fish Knives and Forks	" £7 10 0
5th, Handsome Stainless Tray	" £6 0 0
ENTRY, £5	OP. SWEEP, £1

AT NIGHT, commencing 7.30 p.m.:

No. 1 — 5 BIRD EYE-OPENER (Comp. Div.)

No. 2 —

20 Bird Double Barrel Handicap

1st, Kriesler Portable Radio	Value £24 13 6
2nd, Chiming Mantle Clock	" £18 10 0
Best 12/13 Yarder, Case Cutlery	" £15 0 0
Best 14/15 Yarder, Case Cutlery	" £15 0 0
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"Tips" and "Tails"



Apparently there are to be two Alexandra Gun Clubs on the register of the A.C.P.T.S.A. In addition to the Alexandra Club in the hill districts of Victoria, the Alexandra Club at Milang in South Australia has now also affiliated in

recent weeks. Secretary at the South Australian organization is L. Pope of Milang. The new club is only 29 miles from Mt. Barker Club and 35 miles east of Lake Albert Club at Meningie. Patron of the new club is A. B. Potts, well known in rifle shooting circles.

After being in recess for a considerable period the Holbrook Club, just beyond Albury (N.S.W.), has decided to re-start competitive shooting. The election of office-bearers at the recent annual meeting resulted: President, G. A. Fairbairn; Vice-Presidents, J. O. Cox and A. R. Gray; Committee, Messrs. N. E. Plunkett, E. Matthews, A. Liersch, W. C. O'Brien, Jas. Ross, F. Corrigan, A. Eulenstein, M. Montgomery, J. Bunyan, T. Montague, R. M. Heriot; Treasurer, W. C. O'Brien; Secretary, H. J. Burge.

Officials of the recently affiliated Riverside Club at Bonshaw (N.S.W.) are: Patron, J. H. Rush; President, V. P. Newlands; Vice-President, H. G. Smith; Secretary-Treasurer, K. E. Doust.

South Coast Gun Club (Qld.) members have put in much time and energy to vastly improve their grounds in readiness for their forthcoming Annual Carnival, to be held in January, 1954, from 23rd to 31st inclusive. Provision is made for shooting on six days and/or nights and allowance has been made for a day or two for surfing, golfing or any other activity. For those interested there will be Races in Southport on

Wednesday, 27th January. The shooting programme is varied and interesting, and includes one event for benefit of Legacy. Full details advertised in this issue. The Secretary stresses the need for intending shooters to book accommodation early.

New clubs are contemplated at Crookwell and Rockley, both in New South Wales. Secretary at Crookwell is A. N. Willis, whilst Sid Jones is behind the organizing of the Rockley Club.

Harcourt Club (V.) will shoot its club double-barrel championship on the local enclosure on Saturday, December 5. A good supporting programme has been arranged. The programme is advertised. All enquiries to C. H. Harris (secretary), c/o Harcourt Cool Stores, Harcourt, Vic.

Mildura Club (V.), with its picturesque lay-out adjacent to the Murray, will stage a two-day fixture over the dates, December 28 and 29. On the first day a £75 and £100 handicap are listed as well as the Mildura District D.B. Championship. On the second day a £100 and a £300 handicap are main attractions. Full details of the series are advertised in this issue. Enquiries re accommodation and matters pertaining to the shoot should be directed to K. J. Peake (secretary), 58a Langtree Avenue, Mildura.

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20 Birds from 16 yards

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Christmas Handicap of £50

15 Birds. Nom., £2/10/-.

No. 3 —

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5. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.

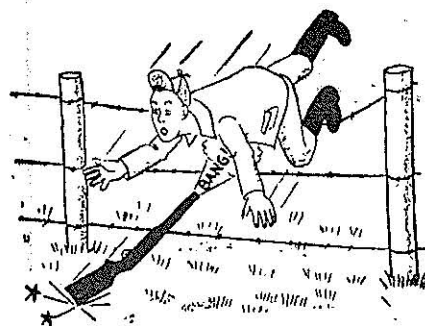
6. Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot.

7. Never leave your gun unattended unless you unload it first.

8. Never climb a tree or a fence with a loaded gun.

9. Never shoot at a flat, hard surface or the surface of water.

10. Do not mix gunpowder and alcohol.



Cressy Gun Club (Tasmania) announces its major shooting carnival for the season over the dates of December 26 and 28. On opening day the Northern Districts of Tasmania D.B. and a £100 handicap are main attractions. The second day the club will stage the Tasmanian Walk-up title, a £100 and a £50 handicap, as well as a teams match in conjunction with the £100 event. Full programme is as advertised. All enquiries to Rex Powell (secretary), phone 33, Cressy, Tas.

Tower shooting will be in vogue at the Hobart Club's fixture at Brighton (Tas.) on November 28, when the Tasmanian Tower Championship is the main event of day. Full supporting programme is included. Details are advertised. Enquiries to Doug. Bridges (secretary), 142 Elizabeth Street, Hobart, Tas.

Luke Doyle and his band of enthusiasts at Alexandra (V.) have prepared a first-class programme for Boxing Day, December 26, on the local shooting enclosure. Shooting

will start at 10 a.m. and the day's programme will include a £50 handicap and the North Central Districts D.B. Championship. Complete details of programme are advertised in this issue. Enquiries to secretary, E. Hillman (Phone Alex. 54) or Luke Doyle (Box 16, Phone Alex. 80 U).

Western Australian shooters extend best wishes to George Davies, Keith Gamble and Spencer Colliver, a speedy recovery and a quick return to active shooting competition. All have been "off the tracks" lately as a result of indisposition.

Queanbeyan Club, adjacent to the Federal Capital territory at Canberra, will shoot the Southern Districts of N.S.W. Deauville doubles title on Saturday, November 28. A £50 handicap will follow. Programme is as advertised. Enquiries to F. C. Morton, Secretary, Wood Ave., Queanbeyan, N.S.W.

The Tumut Monaro Double-barrel championship is the main event on the programme for the Tumut Club (N.S.W.) on November 22.

Footscray Club will shoot on November 28 and December 12. On the latter date the club will stage its Christmas Shoot when many seasonal trophies will be distributed. Programmes are advertised. Secretary is T. Gore, 3 Yardley Street, Maidstone (V.).

F. C. Morton has taken over the secretarial duties of the Queanbeyan Club from K. Evans.

Griffith Club (N.S.W.) will stage a double championship day on December 5, when the Central Riverina D.B. Championship and a £25 Handicap are main interests during the day section of the series. The evening will see the decision of the Commonwealth Night Single-barrel Championship. Full outline of programme is advertised in this issue. All enquiries should be directed to W. Stott (secretary), Box 492 YY, Griffith, N.S.W.

One of the most popular team successes for some years was gained by the Echuca Club team when it was successful in annexing the McCraith Shield for 1953 on the grounds of the Coburg Club on October 24. The entry for the event was the best for several years and quite a number

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10 BIRDS SINGLE BARREL

20 Birds Double Barrel

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

DECEMBER 5TH—

10 BIRDS SINGLE BARREL

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

10 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL

DECEMBER 19TH—

Christmas Shoot

10 BIRDS SINGLE BARREL

20 Birds Double Barrel

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of country teams nominated. Echuca was a clear-cut winner with 93/100 (P. Bradley, top scorer for winners with 20/20), winning from Colac, Australian and Coburg teams, each 89/100.

Camberwell Club (V.) will stage a charity shoot on November 21 in aid of the Queen Elizabeth II Coronation Trust Fund for mothers and children. A number of good trophies have been donated and a big muster is expected. The programme is advertised. Enquiries to A. J. Byers (secretary), phone JW 2630.

Keilor Club (V.) will stage an all-day fixture on November 28, when three championships will be disposed of as well as a £50 handicap. The club intends staging its Christmas fixture on Saturday, December 5. All prize money is guaranteed. Full details of both fixtures are as advertised in this issue.

The Camberwell Club held its Annual General Meeting on the 29th October. The President, T. R. Wightman, in his report pointed out that the Club had had a most successful year, which finished on 31st August, showing a cash balance of £338/14/9. The following officers were elected unopposed for the ensuing year: President, T. R. Wightman; Vice-Presidents, R. W. Delaney, H. G. James, W. R. Johns; Committee, C. Wignall, F. Skate, K. Venables, L. Turner, H. Roberts, F. Player, G. Crocker, R. Blackwell.

The Wongabri Club (Bowral N.S.W.) reports a first-class resumption to competitive shooting at the recent championship fixture, which was won by T. R. Thompson of Griffith. Harold Heat of Goulburn presented the club with a 100-cartridge trophy, which was won by Sid Lamb, also of Goulburn, who promptly returned them to the club for further competition.

A new club is likely to be formed at Wellington (N.S.W.). Quite a prominent club was featured in the Wellington district in pre-war years and there is no reason why a good organization could not be sponsored there again. C. McAtamney is main organizer for the present.

The Victoria Valley Club, situated at Victoria Valley, via Dunkeld, in far western Victoria, has affiliated

with the A.C.P.T.S.A. Secretary of the new affiliated unit is L. J. Crutch, Victoria Valley.

The Abermain Club (N.S.W.) secretary advises particulars of a highly successful social function in the form of a dance and social. The affair was one of the highlights of the season and over 250 attended. All voted it first class and special thanks are extended to the women supporters who worked so well to ensure the success of the function.

The Tasmanian Club at St. Leonards, just outside Launceston, will hold an all-day shoot on December 19, when the Tasmanian Skeet title and the Commonwealth Double-rise championship, plus a £50 handicap, are the main attractions. The fixture will also fit in with the club's annual Christmas shoot. Enquiries to J. F. Bennell, 7 Stone Street, Launceston (club secretary). Programme is advertised.

Kaniva Gun Club, another situated in the far western area of Victoria, has affiliated with the A.C.P.T.S.A. A. M. McDonald, Kaniva, is club secretary.

Programmes for November 21, December 5 and December (Christmas shoot) for the Coburg Club are as advertised.

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SATURDAY 26th and MONDAY 28th - DECEMBER - 1953

— Commencing 10.30 a.m. both days —

PROGRAMME — FIRST DAY

Event 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nomination, 6/-. (Compulsory Division).

Event 2 —

Northern Districts Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards

Sash and 3 Trophies

Optional Sweep of 10/-, divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

Event 3 —

£100 HANDICAP

30 BIRDS. (Points Scoring 2 and 1). Nomination, £5.

1st, £50 — 2nd, £20 — 3rd, £15 — 4th, £10 — £5 for best 12/13 yard shooter NOT sharing in any of the prize money.

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Event 4 —

In memory of the Late WILLIAM BLAKE, EDWARD CASEY and WILLIAM BENNETT.

10 BIRDS D.B. Nomination, 10/-. Trophy valued 15 guineas.

SECOND DAY — DECEMBER 28th, 1953

Event 1 — 5 BIRD WALK-UP SWEEP. Nomination, 6/-.
Event 2 —

Tasmanian Walk Up Championship

(A.C.P.T.S.A. Conditions.)

Sash and 3 Trophies. Nomination, 25/-. Optional Sweep of 10/-, divided 60%, 30%, 10%.

Event 3 — £100 Handicap - Double Barrel

30 BIRDS. Nomination, £5.

1st, £50 — 2nd, £20 — 3rd, £15 — 4th, £10 — £5 for best 12/13 yard shooter NOT sharing in other prize money.

Event 4 —

£50 Handicap - Single Barrel

20 BIRDS. Nomination, 50/-.
1st, £25 — 2nd, £15 — 3rd, £7/10/- — 4th, £2/10/-.

Prize money may be raised in all handicaps if sufficient nominations to warrant it.

STATE TEAMS MATCH to be shot in conjunction with £100 Handicap. Conditions: Teams consist of 5 shooters. Any club may nominate more than one team. Nomination, 25/- per team. Winning team to receive full amount of team's nomination, without deduction.

Association Handicaps in all events :: No nomination received without A.C.P.T.S.A. handicap card.
LUNCH INTERVAL 12.30
The Committee reserve the right to make any alteration they consider necessary in programme. Also the Committee take every precaution, but no responsibility for any accidental damage to any person or property on the shooting ground.

JOHN TAYLOR, President.

REX POWELL, Secretary. Phone 33.

AFFILIATED CLUBS

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Australian Gun Club	A. V. Nolan	1016 Whitehorse Rd., Box Hill.
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Benalla Gun Club	J. H. Lodge	10 King Street, Benalla.
Berriwillock Gun Club	A. E. Knight	Box 26, Berriwillock.
Bessie Belle Gun Club	E. W. Dyson	Bessie Belle.
Birchip Gun Club	H. C. Taylor	Box 86, Birchip.
Camberwell C.T. Club	A. J. Byers	32 Brooke Street, Northcote.
Casterton Gun Club	J. G. Killey	46 Robertson Street, Casterton.
Cavendish Gun Club	O. T. Mayfield	"Oakleigh", Cavendish.
Coburg Gun Club	C. J. Colledge	12 Adler Grove, Merlynston, N.14.
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Colac Gun Club	D. Corstorphane	6 Rae Street, Colac.
Coleraine Gun Club	R. Donaldson	Church Street, Coleraine.
Condah Gun Club	K. R. Satchell	"Greendale", Condah.
Cooma Gun Club	H. T. Tuhau	Cooma, via Tatura.
Croydon Gun Club	T. A. Cherry	Colchester Road, Kilsyth.
Derrinallum Gun Club	I. Wilson	Box 15, Derrinallum.
Donald Gun Club	S. Davidson	Hammill Street, Donald.
Drouin Gun Club	W. J. Dingwall	Gould Street, Drouin.
Echuca Gun Club	A. Rickards	150 Hare Street, Echuca.
Footscray Gun Club	T. Gore	3 Yardley Street, Maidstone.
Foster Gun Club	C. G. Steele	Main Street, Foster.
Frankston & Peninsula G.C.	D. Lane	Stanley Street, Frankston.
Geelong Gun Club	J. G. Kelsall	c/o Corio Hotel, Yarra St., Geelong.
Glenrowan Gun Club	K. Graham	Glenrowan.
Hamilton Gun Club	J. Jordan	41 Clarendon Street, Hamilton.
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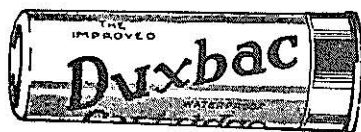
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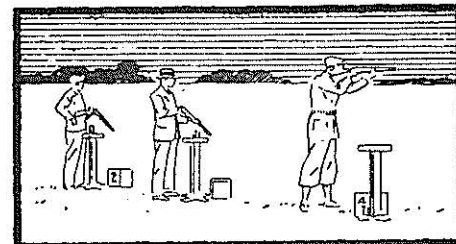
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AROUND THE CLUBS AND MEETINGS...



LISMORE (N.S.W.), 6/10/53. — Weather conditions: fine, gusty wind. Attendance: 15 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: K. Suffolk and W. Ross, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: K. Vidler, 10/10, 1st; D. Powell, 14/15, 2nd; W. Ross, 14/16, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird S.B. Trophy: J. Heiman, 11/12, 1st; A. Chapman, 10/12, 2nd; K. Suffolk, 9/12, 3rd. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. P.S. Trophy: J. Neil, 44/45, 1st; W. Ross, 54/57, 2nd; A. Chapman, 52/57, 3rd. No. 5, 5 prs. Deauville Doubles Sweep: K. Suffolk and S. Elphick, and J. Bruggy and W. Ross, 5/5, div. No. 6, 3 prs. Double Rise Trophy: J. Heiman, 1st; D. Powell, 2nd; W. Anderson, 3rd. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: A. Anderson, 10/10, 1st.

Windy conditions made shooting difficult at times. For a picnic shoot it was well attended, with some keen shooting.

17/10/53. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 17 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: R. McLennan, J. Neil, K. Suffolk, div., 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird P.S. D.B. Trophy: D. Powell, 30/30, 1st; K. Suffolk, 28/30, 2nd; A. Chapman, 27/30, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird S.B. Trophy: R. McLennan, 9/10, 1st; K. Vidler, 8/10, and D. Powell, 8/10, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: R. McLennan, 9/10, and J. Neil, 9/10, div.

Good weather, fair attendance for Club Shoot. Shooting by most members below average.

(S. A. Elphick, Hon. Sec.)

OBERON (N.S.W.), 4/10/53. — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-bird

D.B.: H. Lambert, J. Connors, H. Jaques, K. Soames Sen. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: K. Soames Jun., N. Soames. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Walk-up: K. Soames Jun. No. 5, 5-bird D.B.: P. Tempest, H. Weeners, J. Connors, K. Soames Jun., N. Soames, A. Jay, K. Soames Sen., C. Campbell. No. 6, Deauville Doubles, 5 pr.: K. Soames Sen., P. Hogan, N. Soames, Ron Burton.

Shooting was very keen and with the warmer weather coming, the Oberon Gun Club members are looking forward to larger attendances with keener shooting.

25/10/53. — Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: K. Soames Jun. (Bathurst), N. Soames (Bathurst), R. Campbell (Bathurst), 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: T. Williams, K. S. Soames Sen., K. Soames Jun., R. Campbell, Vic. Howard, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: H. Lambert, 22/22; Pat Tempest, 21/22; Austin Evans, 16/17; K. Soames Sen., 15/16. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: H. Sloggett, J. N. Brazier, R. Campbell, H. Lambert, A. Evans, R. Campbell, Vic. Howard, H. Jaques, R. Rothery, J. Connors, N. Burton, 5/5. No. 5, Deauville Doubles, 5 prs.: H. Sloggett, C. Campbell, J. N. Brazier, R. Rothery, 5 prs. No. 6, 5-bird Walk-up Sweep: T. Williams, R. Campbell, 5/5.

Shooting was very keen and it was most interesting to see new shooters doing so well. H. Lambert and A. Evans will certainly take some beating with a little more practice.

(L. C. E. Williams, Hon. Sec.)

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CAMBERWELL (V.), 10/10/53.— Weather conditions: rain and strong wind. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 3 prs. Double Rise: div. Jack Bryant Sen., Dick, J. Stevens and L. Byrne, 3/3 prs. No. 2, Club Double Rise Championship, 12 prs. from 16 yds.: David Mansell, 10/15, 1st; R. Jorgenson, 14/21, 2nd; Geo. Biggs, 12/20, 3rd; Front Marker, Nimrod, 5/12. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: David Mansell, 12/12, 1st; Geo. Biggs, 11/12, 2nd; Gippsland, 10/11, 3rd.

The President and Committee were extremely pleased to see such a fine attendance for the Club's Double Rise Championship. A masterly exhibition was given by 14-year-old David Mansell, who was unable to shoot in the first event, but won both events afterwards. The President welcomed back to the club H. G. James ("Duxbac"), Vice-President, after a world tour.

24/10/53. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 42. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: div. D. Mansell, "Dick", "Barbara", O. Kurrle, F. Skate and H. Ball, each 9/9. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Handicap Trophy: 1st, H. Ball, 12/12; 2nd, Barbara, 11/12; 3rd; R. Nicholson (Alexandra), 23/24, and Front Marker, W. Carpenter, 11/14. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweep: div. W. Bray and I. Mitchell, each 23/23; 3rd, R. Nicholson, 22/23.

The fine day brought out quite a lot of shooters. Some very fine exhibitions were put up especially by Harry Ball and Barbara Biggs. Bill Bray continues to put up good scores and after downing 23 straight, was content to divide with Ian Mitchell, a very capable young shooter with a bright future. Congratulations to the retiring President, Mr. "Dick" Wightman, after a very successful year. We all hope he continues at the helm of Camberwell Club.

(W. R. Johns,

Press Correspondent.

BALMORAL (V.). — Shoot held September 26. Twenty-two shooters were in attendance and conditions for shooting were excellent, the perfect day also attracting quite a number of spectators. In the main event, a 15-bird D.B., first trophy was won by L. Crutch of Victoria Valley, 15/16, from C. Duncan of Balmoral, second trophy, 14/16, after a shoot-off, both

competitors having broken 14/15 clays. Third sweep money was div. O. Mayfield and W. F. Duncan, 13/15. A 12/13 yarder trophy was won by L. Perry, 13/15; second sweep money to L. Crawford, 12/15, and third sweep money to D. McArthur, 11/15.

Details of shoot: 5-bird D.B., div. G. G. Pern, N. Woodfield, W. J. Pitman, R. W. McPhee, 5/5. 15-bird D.B. Trophy Shoot: L. Crutch, 15/16; C. Duncan, 14/16; 12/13 yarder, L. Perry, 13/16. 10-bird D.B. Clay Sparrows: div. J. Vaughan, W. J. Pitman, L. Crutch, D. McArthur, 9/10. Miss-out D.B.: div. C. Duncan, O. Mayfield, J. Lucas, 8/8. Afternoon tea dispensed by lady supporters was appreciated.

The Balmoral Gun Club held its Annual Championship on Saturday, Oct. 24, at clay targets. Twenty-six shooters participated throughout the afternoon. A stiff breeze made the clays perform occasional tricks. In the Championship shoot V. Coates of Cavendish and N. Woodfield both smashed the full quota of 15 birds. In the shoot-off for trophies N. Woodfield missed his second target to take second trophy, 19/20, first trophy going to V. Coates, 20/20; third sweep money was div. E. Giddings, L. Perry, J. Vaughan and V. Porra, 14/15. A 12/14 yard trophy was won by L. Perry, 16/17, from V. Porra, 15/17.

Details of shoot: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. V. Coates, E. Bertram and R. McPhee, 5/5. No. 2, Club Championship, 15 birds D.B. off 15 yds.: V. Coates, 20/20, 1st; N. Woodfield, 19/20, 2nd; E. Giddings, L. Perry, J. Vaughan, V. Porra, 14/15. 10-bird D.B.: C. Duncan, 14/14; N. Woodfield, 13/14; W. Duncan, 12/13. No. 4, Deauville Doubles: A. Forrest and D. Forrest, 3 prs.; V. Coates and V. Porra, 3 prs. No. 5, Miss-out: div. C. Duncan, G. G. Pern, V. Coates, 3/3. Shooters were present from Brim, Coleraine, Victoria Valley, Hamilton, Condah, Edenhope, Cavendish. Afternoon tea provided by the ladies was enjoyed by shooters and spectators.

(W. F. Duncan, President.)

CROYDON (V.), 3/10/53.—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: light. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. McArthur, R. Nicholson, 6/6.

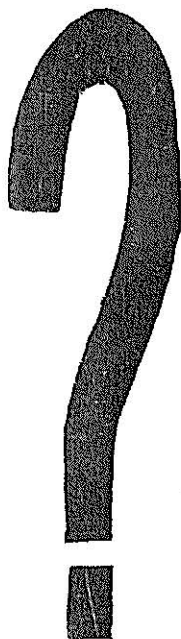
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No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. McArthur, F. Knee, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird Points: J. McArthur, 30/30; R. Nicholson, 40/42; F.M., H. Underwood, 25/30. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: J. McArthur, R. Nicholson, N. Kneebone, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird W.U.: J. McArthur, R. Nicholson, 5/5. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: H. Underwood, 11/11.

A keen struggle between the president, J. McArthur, and Ron Nicholson of Alexandra saw honors about even, with a newcomer in H. Underwood also shooting well.

17/10/53. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: div. F. Skate, T. Cherry, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. Club C'ship: T. Cherry, 17/20, 1st; F. Skate, 16/20, 2nd; J. McArthur, 15/20, 3rd; Front Marker, E. McGoldrick, 14/20. No. 3, 3 pr. D. Rise: div. J. McArthur and Martin Brown, 2/3. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: J. McArthur, 10/10.

Attendance light, but weather conditions good. Birds were tricky for the Club S.B. Championship, which was won by club secretary, T. Cherry, from F. Skate and J. McArthur.

(T. A. Cherry, Hon. Sec.)

SOUTH COAST (Qld.), 3/10/53.— Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 40-bird D.B.: E. Hodge and A. Hicks, each 37/40. No. 2, 5-bird Walk-up: C. Whitney, 5/5; D. Hoffman and E. Hodge, 4/5. No. 3, 5 pr. Deauville Doubles: C. Whitney and E. Hodge, 5/5.

Owing to high wind, conditions were not conducive to high scoring.

24/10/53. — Weather conditions: fine, very strong south-easterly wind. Attendance: 12 shooters. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. E/O.: div. D. Hoffman, N. Gorrie and H. Hodge, 10/10. No. 2, 5 pr. D. Rise S/S.: div. D. Hoffman, A. Hicks, J. Heiman, 3/5. No. 3, 10 pr. D. Doubles off 16 yds. S/S.: div. N. Gorrie and A. Hicks, 8/10; J. Callinan and J. Heiman, 8/10. No. 4, 10-bird S.B. S/S.: 1st, T. Primrose, 9/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. N. Gorrie, A. Hicks and R. Purvis, each 8/10. No. 5, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st and 2nd, div. J. Heiman and H. Hodge, 27/30; 3rd, C. Ferguson, 24/30. No. 6, 10-bird Walk-up: 1st, D. Hoffman, 8/10; 2nd, H. Hodge, 7/10.

Shooting conditions very difficult, with strong wind. Highlight of Event No. 4 being the shooting by G. Bailey, who shot 10/10, but had unfortunately shot "for clays only". Afternoon tea served by the club again proved popular.

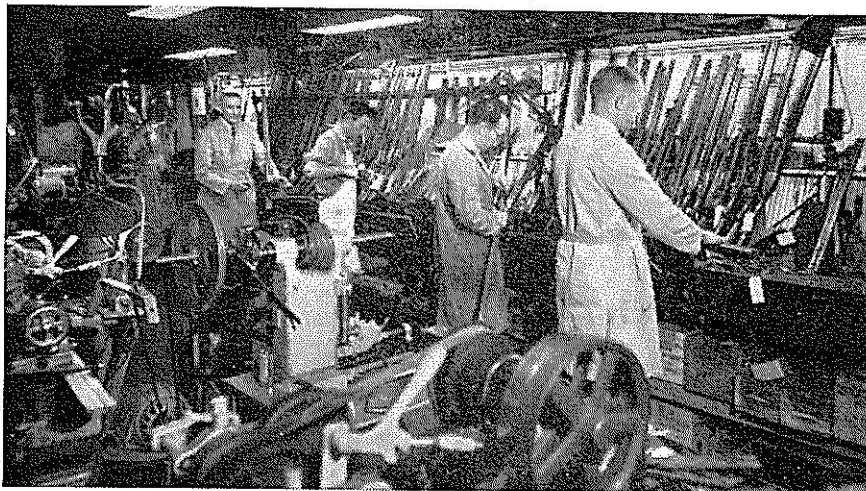
(G. O. Martin, Hon. Sec.)

HAY (N.S.W.), 10/10/53, Day and Night.— Weather conditions: windy and cold. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Op.: div. N. Taylor, R. Tonkin, E. V. Cox, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird Point Score: N. Taylor, 27/30, 1st; Max Gibson, T. Dancey and J. Headon, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird Club Intermediate C'ship: A. Dancey, 1st, 23/25; T. Witcombe, 2nd, 22/25; A. Headon, 32/40. No. 4, A. J. Macleay Memorial D. Rise Handicap: Ron Headon, 4/5 prs. No. 5, Night 5-bird Opener: A. and T. Dancey, 5/5, div. No. 6, 2nd 5-bird Opener: Max Gibson and R. Tonkin, div., 5/5. No. 7, Hay Gun Club Night D.B. C'ship: A. Dancey, 20/20, 1st; shoot-off: Max Gibson, 2nd, 29/30; J. Houston, 3rd, 28/30.

One of our largest attended club shoots, 26 shooters participating. Outstanding performance of A. Dancey in annexing the Intermediate Club Championship and the Hay Gun Club's Night D.B. Championship with the possible 20/20.

24/10/53. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 50 shooters (Day and Night). Results: No. 1, 10-bird Open: M. Webb, L. Baker, N. Taylor, Maurice Gibson, R. Ronald, E. Evans, George Biggs, G. Daly, E. Daly, R. Bushby, 10/10, div. No. 2, £50 Handicap, 20 birds: E. V. Cox, J. Headon (Hay), G. Biggs (Melb.), R. McNamara (Griffith), G. Daly (Deniliquin), div., 19/20. No. 3, Hay Dist. D.B. Championship: E. V. Cox (Hay), 50/50, 1st; John Houston (Hay), 48/50, 2nd; George Biggs (Melb.), 39/40, 3rd; C. McConville, F. M. Noero. No. 4, £30 Pt. Sc. Handicap, 20-bird: R. Bushby (Narrandera), 59/60, 1st; J. Houston and Max Gibson (Hay), div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: R. Headon and J. Headon, 10/10, div. 1st and 2nd; G. Anderson (Melb.), 14/15, 3rd, after shoot-off. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. Night Opener: T. Dancey, A. Headon and Ron Headon (Hay), 10/10, div., A.

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Headon taking the Bob Ferris Trophy. No. 7, Hay Dist. D.B. Night C'ship: Maurice Gibson, 29/30, 1st; T. Dancey, 28/30, 2nd; Max Gibson, 23/25, 3rd (all of Hay), after shoot-off. No. 8, 10-bird D.B.: N. Taylor, T. Dancey and M. Saunders, 10/10, div.

Perfect shooting conditions for Day and Night. Fifty shooters attended, coming from Melbourne, Griffith, Narrandera, Jerilderie, Deniliquin, Barellan. Outstanding shooter during the day was E. V. Cox with 50/50 in the Hay District D.B. Championship and High Gun with 59/60. High-school boy in Maurice Gibson taking the Hay District D.B. (Night) Championship, 29/30, after shoot-off with his father, Max Gibson and T. Dancey in a field of 43. Traps (three in operation) with two for night shooting working to perfection. Garden in full spring blooms and catering arrangements perfect.

(Les McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

ROYAL AERO CLUB (N.S.W.),
26/9/53—Weather conditions: squally S.E. winds, showers. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E/O. D.B.: div. M. Smith, L. Hughes, W. Hanley, M. Fuller, C. Meale and J. Rhodin. No. 2, 25 birds D.B. Club Trophy: Dr. A. C. Gibbons. No. 3, 25 birds Skeet: E. Bullen. No. 4, 25 birds D.B. Club Championship: R. Faunt. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: L. Grilk. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: L. Grilk. No. 7, 10-bird D.B.: L. Grilk.

The first Club Championship was well supported, and despite the tricks played by the wind, there was a good display of shooting and a well deserved win by R. Faunt.

3/10/53.—Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5 birds D.B. Eye-opener: div. J. Rhodin, E. Bullen and Dr. C. Gibbons. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Sweepstake: div. K. R. Black and G. Boehm. No. 3, 25 birds D.B. Sweepstake: G. Boehm. No. 4, 25 birds D.B. Skeet: Grade A, div. B. Hill and E. Bullen; Grade B, W. Bullen; Grade C, K. Black. No. 5, 10 birds D.B.: Dr. C. Gibbons. No. 6, 10 birds D.B.: Dr. C. Gibbons. No. 7, 10 birds D.B.: B. Hill and Dr. Gibbons. No. 8, 10 birds D.B.: B. Hill and Dr. Gibbons.

A small gathering due to other local competitions, but some excellent shooting enjoyed under ideal conditions.

24/10/53. — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 27. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: div. R. Croft, 5/5; W. Hanley, 5/5. No. 2, 25-bird D.B. Club Trophy: A. W. Catt, 25/25. No. 3, 25-bird Skeet: Grade A, E. Bullen, 20/25; Grade C, W. Bullen, 16/25; Grade D, F. Nichols, 11/25. No. 4, 10 birds D.B. Sweepstake: div. E. Ginty, 10/10; W. Reid, 10/10. No. 5, 10 birds D.B. Sweepstake: div. E. Ginty, C. Plummer, C. Nichols, all 10/10. No. 6, 10 birds D.B. Sweepstake: div. C. Nichols, E. Ginty, A. Catt, W. Craig, all 10/10.

The Club Trophy, well won by A. W. Catt with 25 straight, was followed by a good competition of graded Skeet.

10/10/53. — Weather conditions: variable gusty winds. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. R. Thompson, E. Bullen, R. Croft, J. Rhodin, 5/5. No. 2, 25 birds Skeet: Grade A, div. M. Fuller, E. Bullen, 21/25; Grade C, R. Croft, 15/25. No. 3, 25 birds D.B.: R. Thompson, 24/25. No. 4, 10 birds Double Rise: M. Fuller, 4/5 prs. No. 5, 10 birds D.B.: E. Bullen, 10/10. No. 6, 10 birds D.B. Points Score: R. Thompson, 10/10. No. 7, 10 birds D.B.: W. Reid, 10/10.

17/10/53. — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: shared by J. Newton-Thomas, M. Smith, R. Thompson, A. W. Catt, W. Bullen. No. 2, 25 birds D.B. Club Trophy: W. Bullen, 24/25. No. 3, 25 birds S.B. Club Championship: L. Hughes, 22/25. No. 4, 25 birds Skeet Trophy: E. Bullen, 24/25. No. 5, 25 birds D.B. Sweepstake: M. Smith, 20/20. No. 6, 10 birds D.B. Sweepstake: shared by A. Catt, R. Faunt, W. Hanley, all 10/10.

With ideal conditions, the second leg of the Club Trophy was won by W. Bullen, and the Club S.B. Championship Sash fitted Luke Hughes very well, though worn bashfully.

(W. C. Hudson, Hon. Sec.)

SALE (V.), 5/9/53.—Weather conditions: windy, but fine. Attendance:

Camberwell District Clay Target Club

Templestowe Road - North Balwyn

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

MONSTER CHARITY SHOOT

in aid of

The Queen Elizabeth the Second Coronation Trust Fund

For MOTHERS AND CHILDREN

to be held at the

CLUB GROUND, BULLEEN RD., NORTH BALWYN

Saturday, 21st November, 1953

Commencing at 1 p.m. sharp.

MANY FINE TROPHIES HAVE BEEN DONATED FOR COMPETITION.

Help this worthy cause by being in attendance on this day. Several Handicap events have been arranged. Other events time permitting.

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President.

A. J. BYERS, Hon. Sec.,
Phone: JW 2630.

41. Results: No. 1, 10-bird G.W.: Dr. Martin and R. Mildenhall, div.; 3rd money div. L. Elston, L. Bourbaud, R. Johns, T. Pederson, W. Harris. No. 2, Gipp. D.B. Championship: 1st, Roy Johns; 2nd, L. Bourbaud; 3rd, M. Atkinson; 4th, Les Elston. No. 3, £50 Handicap: 1st, T. Gleson; H. Guyatt, M. Atkinson, E. Rowlands, J. Oliver. High Gun, 12 yds.: Peter Glover; High Gun over: J. Oliver.

Day was good and windy. Shooters shot reasonably well on the whole. In Championship, after a grand shoot-off, Roy Johns defeated L. Bourbaud and a great ovation was accorded him.

3/10/53. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 10/10-bird, A/H Marks: div. L. Bourbaud, T. Pederson, Roy Glover. No. 2, Sale C.S.B. Champ., 16 yds.: Roy Glover, 1st; D. Davey (Morwell), 2nd; Les Elston (Sale), 3rd; P. Rowley (Sale), 4th. No. 3, £50 Handicap: P. Rowley, H. Guyatt, T. Gleson, Jim Lowe, T. Pederson, div. No. 4, 10-bird Handicap: H. Guyatt, 1st; C. Budge and Jim Lowe, div. 2nd and 3rd.

GANMAIN (N.S.W.), Saturday, 12th Sept., 1953. Competitors attended from Leeton, Narrandera, Wagga, Mangoplah, Tumut and Arianh Park, several district shooters also participating. Feeling reference was made by P. Gibbons at the loss the club had sustained by the death of its President, Cr. W. H. Logan. All then stood in silence for a minute as a tribute of respect.

Results: 5-bird D.B.: div. Johnno Cox, E. Creasey, D. Taylor, J. Scott, K. Powell, C. McConville and P. Gibbons, 5/5. 5-bird Sparrow D.B. Sweepstake: div. J. Gibbons, K. Powell and Lox Creasey, 5/5. 10-bird D.B.: div. A. J. Baker, C. McConville and M. Webb, 10/10. £15 Handicap, 10-bird D.B., 10/10: div. 1st and 2nd, K. Powell and J. Scott (Narrandera); div. 3rd, C. McConville, M. Webb, Johnno Cox, Lox Creasey, A. J. Baker, N. Hamblin, Jack Winnell and W. Ballard. 10-bird D.B. Trophy Shoot: 1st, A. J. Baker, 10/10; 2nd, V. Hamblin, 19/20; 3rd, C. McConville, 18/20. £25 15-bird D.B.: div. 1st and 2nd, K. Powell and C. McConville, 15/15; div. 3rd, A. J. Baker, G. Baker, J. Scott, D. Taylor, Lox Creasey and

L. Trembath, 14/15. Trophy Shoot, 10-bird D.B., 5 clay and 5 sparrow: 1st, G. Baker, 17/17. Ladies' Trophy conducted on this shoot was won by Mrs. Jim Turney. Miss-out Trophy Shoot: P. Gibbons. Miss-out D.B. Sweepstake: D. Taylor, 7/7.

The Club would like to thank all those who assisted in making the meeting such a success.

(P. Gibbons, Hon. Sec.)

HERBERT RIVER (Qld.), 27/9/53 — Weather conditions: fine, variable winds. Attendance: 58. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. Eye-opener: div.

S. Di Bartolo, A. Collins, J. Cross, I. Rotondo, 5/5. No. 2, Herbert River 15-bird D.B. Handicap: 1st, F. Claussen, 42/45; 2nd, div. 41/45, A. Collinson, N. Hartwell, W. Carrington, G. Imarisio. No. 3, Herbert River 20-bird D.B. Championship: 1st, C. Archer, 24/25; 2nd, div. L. Ashworth and S. Horwood, 23/25. No. 4, Deauville Doubles: 1st, S. Clay and J. McGuire, 8/8 pairs.

Weather was fine, winds were variable. Remarkable attendance. Shooters visited us from Ayr, Giru, Charters Towers, Tully and Townsville. The new automatic trap functioned perfectly all day. The performance of G. Imarisio was remarkable, as this is his second shoot.

(F. Curro, per J. N. Dossetto.)

JEPARIT (V.)—A successful shoot was conducted on 26/9/53. Weather fine. 5-bird: div. D. Dunn (Rainbow), N.K. Crittenden (Jeparit) and C. G. Crittenden (Jeparit), 5/5. £25 Handicap D.B.: won by K. Wishart (Rainbow), 20/20; 2nd, div. E. Giddings and A. Hinneberg. £10 Handicap: C. G. Crittenden (Jeparit), 10/10; 2nd, div. K. Wishart, Ken Miller (Jeparit), B. Cavanagh (Walpeup). Deauville Doubles: K. Wishart and D. Bone. £1 Miss-out: B. Cavanagh and A. Henneberg, div.

Night Shoot: 1st Event, 5-bird: div. R. Kluge (Jeparit), C. G. Crittenden and C. Friebel (Rainbow). 2nd Event, 10-bird: K. Miller, 1st; K. Wishart, 2nd; C. Friebel, 3rd. 3rd Event, 10-bird: C. G. Crittenden, 1st; K. Wishart, 2nd; R. Kluge, 3rd. 4th Event, 10-bird: C. Friebel, 1st; R. Kluge, 2nd; K. Wishart, 3rd. Best 12/13

ydr. won by A. M. McDonald (Kan-
iva). K. R. Wishart was High Gun
of the day.

(B. C. Witney, Hon. Sec.)

KELLY'S CREEK (Qld.).—The
club conducted the Club Champion-
ship shoot at Kelly's Creek on Satur-
day, 26th September. Conditions
were gusty and the scores generally
poor. The Club Championship event
for the MacIntyre Cup and Sash,
shot over 20 birds, was won by J.
Gibson; 2nd was last year's winner,
R. Kavanagh.

No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Tomkins, 5/5.
No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: R. Kavanagh, J.
Gibson, div., 8/8. No. 3, Club Cham-
pionship, 20 birds Points: J. Gibson,
53/60; 2nd, R. Kavanagh, 42/60. No.
4, Miss-out: J. Gibson, 8/8. No. 5,
5 prs. Deauville Doubles: R. Kavan-
agh and A. Gibson, 6/6. No. 6, 5-
bird D.B.: J. Tomkins, J. Horrobin,
div., 5/5. No. 7, Miss-out: J. Tom-
kins, 8/8. No. 8, 5-bird S.B.: J. Gib-
son, 5/5. No. 9, 5-bird S.B.: I. Capel,

R. Kavanagh, div., 5/5. No. 10,
Walk-up Miss-out: J. Gibson, 9/9;
J. Tomkins, 8/9.

(J. L. Gibson, Hon. Sec.)

RICHMOND (N. Qld.), 27/9/53.—
Weather conditions: windy. Attend-
ance: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird
S.B.: C. Harrington. No. 2, 5-bird
D.B.: D. S. Murray. No. 3, 10-bird
S.B.: C. Harrington. No. 4, 10-bird
D.B. Points, 3 and 2: R. F. O'Neill.
No. 5, 5-bird Walk-up S.B.: C. Har-
rington. No. 6, 5 prs. Double Rise:
shared by B. J. O'Neill, B. T. Kelman,
J. Walker, A. K. Kelman, F. J. Trit-
ton. No. 7, Ladies' S.B. 5-bird:
shared by Mesdames B. T. Kelman,
H. W. Murray, J. T. Kelman. No. 8,
Deauville Doubles: F. J. Tritton and
J. Treveton.

18/10/53. — Weather conditions:
windy. Attendance: good. Results:
No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: W. Doherty, 5;
J. Treveton, 5 (shared). No. 2, 5-bird
D.B.: E. Stockwell, 5; D. Murray, 5;
J. Treveton, 5; B. Kelman, 5; A.

McIntosh, 5 (shared). No. 3, 20-bird
D.B.: D. E. Murray, 33/35. No. 4,
Deauville Double: J. Walker and L.
McIntosh.

(L. W. Berryman, Hon. Sec.)

PRAIRIE (Q.), 13/9/53.—Weather
conditions: excellent. Attendance:
20 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird
S.B.: A. McIntosh, A. Logan, B. Mar-
tin and L. McIntosh, div., 5/5 each.
No. 2, 10-bird D. Rise: A. McIntosh,
29/30. No. 3, Mixed Birds, Presi-
dent's Trophy: 1st, A. McIntosh, 54/
65; 2nd, C. Dixon, 52/65; 3rd, L. Mc-
Intosh and W. Wearing, 44/65 each.
No. 4, 5-bird S.B.: B. Martin, 4/5
and 3/3. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: W.
Wearing, 27/35. No. 6, Deauville
Doubles: W. Wearing and J. Surgeon,
5/5 and 3/3 prs. No. 7, 5 prs. D.
Rise: W. Wearing, 15/15 and 9/9.
No. 8, 5-bird S.B.: D. Rollston, 5/5
and 4/5. No. 9, 5-bird S.B.: A. Mc-
Intosh, 5/5 and 3/3. No. 10, 3 prs.
D. Rise: A. McLean, 18/21. No. 11,
5-bird S.B.: R. McInnery, 5/5.

Shooting was good and competition
keen. The most consistent shooter of
the day being A. McIntosh, with W.
Wearing runner-up. The Prairie Gun
Club has now been in existence for
12 months and I am happy to say
that our first year has been a very
successful one.

(C. W. Dixon, Hon. Sec.)

GEELONG (V.).—Weather con-
ditions: fine, with gusty winds. Geelong
Gun Club conducted the usual month-
ly shoot last Saturday, 3/10/53, when
seven clay events were decided. The
wind became a deciding factor as far
as scores were concerned, and shoot-
ers found high scoring difficult under
the conditions. Best break for the
day was put up by Arch Burns, who
scored 16 straight kills.

Results were as follow: 1st Event,
5-bird: div. P. Armour and R. Krentz-
lin, 5/5; R. Harrison, 3rd. 2nd Event,
5-bird: div. R. Krentzlin, J. Clohesy,
L. Gaylard, E. Gross, A. Burns and
R. Harrison, each with the possible.
3rd Event, 10-bird: resulted in P.
Armour, A. Little and A. Burns div.
with the possible. 4th Event, 10-bird:
won outright by Les Gaylard, 10/10.
Minor prize money was div. R.
Krentzlin and A. Burns. 5th Event,
5-bird: won outright by P. Armour,
5/5, with B. Griffiths and A. Little

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sharing 2nd and 3rd money. 6th
Event, 5-bird: div. E. Gross and A.
Burns with the possible; P. Armour
and A. Little div. 3rd money. The
final event of 5 birds div. R. Krentz-
lin, G. Gross and A. Little, each
securing the possible.

(J. G. Kelsall, Hon. Sec.)

KEILOR (V.), 3/10/53.—Weather
conditions: fine and windy. Attend-
ance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.:
1st, A. C. Tie, 9/9; 2nd, R. Dale, 8/9;
F.M., J. Horan, 4/5. No. 2, Keilor
Plains 20-bird D.B. Championship:
1st, A. C. Tie, 20/20; 2nd, M. Lan-
ders, 29/30; 3rd, T. Finnegan, 20/30;
F.M., F. Barrell, 20/25. No. 3, 10-
bird D.B.: 1st, K. Lowry, 18/18; 2nd,
M. Landers, 17/18; 3rd, T. Rose-
warne, 16/18; T. Senserrick, 9/10.

Andy Tie had an unfinished 42
straight, so he earned a 75 straight
badge with five to share. Everyone
had a wonderful day and thanks to
Mrs. and Miss Fewster for a delight-
ful afternoon tea.

17/10/53. — Weather conditions:
fine. Attendance: 20. Results: No.
1, 5-bird D.B. Cash: L. Senserrick,
5/5; T. Spence, 5/5; A. Byran. No. 2,
5-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, M. Landers,
8/8; 2nd, T. Spence, 7/8; F.M., T.
Rosewarne, 5/6. No. 3, 15-bird Mixed



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NOVEMBER 28th—

Event 1—5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL

1st, Trophy; 2nd, Cash. Nom., 8/-.

Event 2—10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL

Trophies. Nom., 10/-.

Event 3—10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL

Trophies. Nom., 10/-.

OTHER EVENTS TO FOLLOW.

DECEMBER 12th—

Xmas Shoot

Popular Events :: Seasonal Trophies

REFRESHMENTS FOR ALL

Seasonal Greetings to all Shooters from the President and
Committee of the Footscray Gun Club.

The Committee reserves the right to alter any Shoot should
the necessity arise.

A. STEWART,
President.

T. GORE, Hon. Sec.,
3 Yardley St., Maidstone.

Marks: 1st, A. Byran, 16/17; 2nd, J. Senserrick, 15/17; 3rd, J. Daly, 16/17; 13/14, R. Reid, 13/15; 12/14, R. Dale, 14/16. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, M. Landers, 10/10; 2nd, L. Rosewarne, 17/19; 3rd, R. Reid, 16/19; F.M., R. Dale, 9/10. No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: T. Paul, R. Hunter, T. Blackwell.
(R. Reid, Asst. Sec.)

MT. BARKER (S.A.), 20/9/53. — Weather conditions: cold wind, showery. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: div. nine shooters, 5/5 each. No. 2, Col Barr Trophy: R. J. Powell, 17/17; K. Childs, 16/17; E. Vivian, 12/13; R. Chester (12 ydr.), 10/11. No. 3, Club Trophy: A. W. Forbes, 17/17; G. Woodrow, 16/17; K. Childs, 14/15. No. 4, 5-bird Sweep: div. five shooters.

An Adelaide team again won a team's prize from five other groups in a team's shoot held in conjunction with the Col. Barr Trophy. Five Adelaide shooters scored an aggregate of 23, next best being a Milang team with 21/25. A fine afternoon's shooting and a fine afternoon tea was enjoyed between showers.

11/10/53. — Weather conditions: fine, warm and calm. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, Club D.B. Championship: 1st, A. W. Forbes, 25/25; 2nd, A. W. Commins, 23/24; 3rd, D. Curtis, 14/15. No. 2, Club S.B. Championship: 1st, A. W. Forbes, 15/15; 2nd, A. W. Commins, 13/14; 3rd, C. Grigg, 9/10. No. 3, 5-bird Sweep: shared between 12 shooters with 5/5. No. 4, 5-bird Sweep: shared between 12 shooters with 5/5.

With the weather warming up, and a fine calm day, a good attendance resulted to shoot the Club's Double and Single Barrel Championships. Some good shooting was witnessed during the day, with A. W. Forbes being the outstanding shooter, winning both main events. A. W. Commins shot well, but had to be content with 2nd place in each event. Many shooters obtained the possible in the sweeps, among them being some new shooters, and it is hoped that they will continue to attend and shoot in this form. Afternoon tea was supplied by the ladies and enjoyed by all present.

(P. H. Harvey, Hon. Sec.)

YERONG CREEK (N.S.W.), 11th Oct. — Weather conditions: cold, strong, gusty wind. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. E/O: V. O. Taylor, "Johnno", R. Hall, R. Wenzke, div., 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: L. Stoll, C. Angel, 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Sweepstake: L. Stoll, S. Finemore, C. Angel, R. Wenzke, div., 10/10. No. 4, £40 Handicap, 15 birds S.B.: B. Hall, 15/15, 1st; Lox Creasy, 13/15, 2nd; L. Rainbird, 12/15; R. Wenzke, 12/15; F.M., L. Rainbird. No. 5, Deauville Doubles, 5 pairs: B. Hall and E. Vonarx, 5/5. No. 6, 3 prs. D. Rise: "Johnno", B. Hall, R. Condon, div., 1/3.

Our initial open shoot was attended by shooters from Wagga, Mangoplah, Holbrook and Pheasant Hills. A strong gusty wind and a "Plus" trap kept scores down.

(E. D. Vonarx, Hon. Sec.)

GRENFELL (N.S.W.), 18/10/53. — Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: five shot the possible, div., 10/10. No. 2, Trophy: Mick Smith (Sydney). No. 3, Trophy: won by L. Sim (Tullibigeal). No. 4, Championship: K. Soames (Bathurst), 1st; A. Lees, 2nd; E. Lowe, 3rd. No. 5, £40 Handicap: div. L. Sim, W. Spies, J. Storrier, M. Smith and E. Lowe. No. 6, Trophy: A. Lees. No. 7, Trophy: E. Lowe. No. 8, Trophy: S. Lamb.

K. Soames (Bathurst) won the Grenfell District Championship after a shoot-off with E. Lowe and A. Lees. Lowe missed his 25th bird and Lees his 31st. This was a very popular win. Congratulations, Keith. A. Martens won 12/14 yd. Trophy.

18/10/53. — Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, Eye-opener: 8 shot the possible 10 birds. No. 2, Championship: won by M. Smith (Sydney); S. Lamb, 2nd; H. Anderson, 3rd. No. 3, Box Sweep: won by D. Sim.

M. Smith shot very well to win the Central District M.B. Championship, 19/20, a wonderful performance. Congratulations, Mick. Shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd places were S. Lamb, A. Lees and H. Anderson, with 17/20; result: S. Lamb, 2nd; H. Anderson, 3rd; 12/14 yarder, L. Tyack (Tullibigeal). A beautiful poultry dinner and tea were put on by the women,

Queanbeyan Gun Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

The Committee reserve the right to alter if unforeseen circumstances arise.

OPEN SHOOT

Saturday, 28th November, 1953

Commencing 10.30 a.m. sharp.

Southern Districts of N.S.W. Deauville Doubles Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards

Also

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20 Birds Ass. Handicaps

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and everybody had a very pleasant time.

(H. Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

TYRENDARRA (V.), 12/9/53. — Weather conditions: very good. Attendance: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: T. Cook, L. Rundell, J. Creelman, 5/5. No. 2, £10 Handicap: L. Rundell, 10/10; H. Smith, J. Saunders, L. Milliard, 9/10. No. 3, £10 Handicap: H. Smith, 10/10; J. Malone, L. Milliard. No. 4, Deauville Doubles: Hoskin and Cook, 3/4 prs.; J. Malone and J. Poole.

10/10/53. — Weather conditions: very windy and wet. Attendance: good. Results: No. 1, 5-bird: L. Rundell, V. Coates, S. Ford, 5/5. No. 2, Southern Victorian S.B. Champ.: A. Pratt, 15/20; L. Milliard, 14/20; J. Poole, 12/20, 3rd. No. 3, £30 Handicap: L. Milliard, 15/15; H. S. Smith, 14/15; J. Malone, 14/15; best 12 yd., W. Finn, 13/15. No. 4, 5-bird: H. Smith, L. Milliard, 5/5; A. Hardy, 5/5.

Conditions very windy and wet. Attendance of shooters and public very good, 26 shooters taking part in Championship, 28 in Handicap Divisions of Sweepstakes on each 5 birds in Championship, 18 shooters getting a cut and 17 getting a cut on each 5 birds in Handicap.

(C. Burrows, Hon. Sec.)

DONALD (V.), 16/10/53. — Weather conditions: calm and mild. Attendance: 35 shooters (night shoot). Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. Les Young, Reg Dunn, K. Mark, C. Reading, L. Cody; Trophy won by Reg Dunn. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. S. Adams, R. Reseigh, O. Campbell, Les Young, Reg Dunn, B. Reading, C. Reading and R. Davison; Trophy won by R. Davison. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. S. Adams, G. Sellick, O. Campbell, R. McCallum, J. Pope, C. Tickner, R. Davison and K. Mark; Trophy won by C. Tickner. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: 1st Trophy, R. Pole, 12/12; 2nd Trophy, B. Reading, 13/15.

Charity Shoot conducted on behalf of the Queen of Commerce, in support of Grass Tennis Courts in Donald. We gained a lot of new shooters, and a grand night's entertainment was had by all. Trophies were kindly donated by local businessmen. Supper was on, prepared by

our Candidate's Committee, and shooting went on until midnight.

(K. Mark, Hon. Sec.)

CHARTERS TOWERS (Qld.), 21/9/53. — Ideal conditions prevailing, with a slight and occasional disconcertingly increasing south-east wind, caused the large number of shooters that attended, an atmosphere of excitement and interest. It was interesting to note the success of three comparatively new shooters on our grounds, viz., W. Hughes (Mingala), J. Cockfield and S. Gourley (local).

Results: No. 1 Event, 5-bird S.B., also 1st round of Club Aggregate, 28 shooters: W. Edmondson, W. Carrington, H. Peace, R. Knuth, S. Finlay and G. Archer, 5/5, div. 1st Round Aggregate for Day: H. Lavery, 23/30; W. Hughes, 26/30; W. Carrington, 27/30; J. Cockfield, 24/30; H. Peace, 26/30. President's Trophy, 10-bird D.B., 24 shooters: C. Walker, W. Hughes, W. Carrington and C. R. Archer, 10/10; shoot-off resulted in W. Carrington the winner, 29/30, and W. Hughes, 28/30. Event No. 3, 5-bird S.B. Handicap: W. Doherty, C. R. Archer, H. Lavery, S. Gourley, J. Cockfield and R. Knuth, 5/5. Event No. 4, 5-bird S.B. "Tower": C. R. Archer and H. Peace, div. Ladies' Event, 5-bird S.B., 3 ladies entered for this event, which was won by Mrs. Clem Walker. Event No. 6, 5-bird S.B. Sweepstake, four shooters div.: J. Cockfield, S. Gourley, W. Doherty and R. Knuth, 5/5.

The shoot was most successful from every point of view, and it is to be hoped will be succeeded by many more of an equally successful nature.

(R. H. Davies, Hon. Sec.)

BERRIWILLOCK (V.), 3/10/53. — Weather conditions: fine, fairly strong north wind. Attendance: 36 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: cut by J. Blythman, A. E. Knight, K. Crittenden, 8/8. No. 2, 10-bird D.B., 3 trophies: A. E. Knight, 1st, 16/16; M. Nalder, 2nd, 15/16; K. Crittenden, 3rd, 14/15. No. 3, S.B. Mallee Championship: D. McIntyre, 1st, 16/20; 2nd, G. McIntyre, 19/24; W. Mark, 3rd, 18/24. No. 4, Full Round Skeet: R. Cummins, 1st, 23/31; D. McIntyre, 2nd, 20/31; Optional Sweep cut by

Alexandra Gun Club

VICTORIA
(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

BOXING DAY SHOOT

Saturday, 26th December, 1953

Commencing 10 a.m. — 5 BIRD SWEEPSTAKE

Followed by

£50 Handicap . . 20 Birds

Association Handicaps.

Nom., £2/10/-. Optional 5/- Sweep.

Then 5 BIRD SWEEPSTAKE. Comp. Div.

and

North Central Districts Double Barrel Championship

20 Birds from 16 yards.

Nom., 25/- . Optional 5/- Sweep.

1st, Trophy & Sash; 2nd, Trophy; 3rd, Trophy; 12/14 yd. Trophy.

Ladies' Trophy on Championship.

Cartridges, Afternoon Tea available at Ground.

Luncheon in township 1 mile distant.

Accommodation very limited — apply early if needed.

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both shooters. No. 5, Miss-out, 18 yds.: div. seven shooters.

The Championship meeting was a great success, but owing to a very heavy north wind, shooting was not in any way up to its usual standard, as the wind played havoc with the birds, making good scores impossible.
(A. E. Knight, Hon. Sec.)

HARCOURT (V.), 10/10/53. — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 22. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B., 1st and 2nd Front Markers' Trophies: 1st, F. Dobson, 9/10, 9/9; 2nd, E. Franklin, 8/9; Front Markers, G. Franklin, 9/10, 4/9. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. No. 3, 20-bird D.B., 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies: 1st, E. Franklin, 18/20, 11/11; 2nd, B. Smith, 18/20, 10/11; 3rd, D. Quinton, 18/20, 7/11.

Some good shooting was witnessed under very poor weather conditions. The shoot-off in the main event of the day between Ed Franklin and Bert Smith (Pop) created a great amount of interest. Afternoon tea served by the ladies was very acceptable, particularly on such a cold day.
(C. H. Harris, Hon. Sec.)

HORSHAM (V.), 10/10/53. — Weather conditions: strong west wind. Attendance: 22 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweep: sweep cut by R. Parker and C. Ball. No. 2, Club Champ., 20 birds off 16 yds.: N. Woodfield, 1st; D. McPherson, 2nd.

In the Club Championship, 19 shooters took part and the shooting was generally poor owing to a strong cross wind; no shooter broke his 20 birds, the best being 18/20 by the winner and 17/20 by the runner-up. Some new shooters took part, but found the birds a bit hard to get on to.

(N. J. Stewart, Hon. Sec.)

TOWNSVILLE (Q.).—The Townsville Gun Club shot their 1953 Club Championship on Saturday afternoon, October 10th. The conditions were windy and difficult in the early part of the afternoon. The Championship, shot at 20 birds S.B. from 16 yds., resulted in an outright win for J. Longworth, 19/20; K. Miskin, 2nd; W. Carrington, 3rd. A tie shoot between J. Carrington, W. Carrington

and K. Miskin was necessary to decide the minor placings, each having scored 18/20. Miskin scored a further 13/15 in the tie shoot to score 2nd place to W. Carrington's 12/15. O. Crouther won a special 12/13 yard Trophy, 16/20. A 10-bird S.B. Handicap Event won by W. Carrington; D. Peberdy, 2nd; R. Winn, 3rd. An opening 5-bird S.B. was won by A. Edwards, 9/10; D. Casey, 2nd, 8/10; D. Peberdy, 3rd, 7/8. A final 5-bird S.B. was div. W. Hanran, K. Miskin and J. Longworth, each 12/12.

(F. Blackman, Hon. Sec.)

BOOROWA (N.S.W.), Sat., 3/10/53 —Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 22 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5 bird: div. J. R. Davis, A. E. Hazell, L. P. Grogan, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird: div. J. P. Rolfe, M. J. Corkery, L. P. Grogan, E. J. Rolfe, 5/5. No. 3, 2nd Heat Foundation Cup: won by J. Wales in shoot-off—11 kills. No. 4, 5-bird: div. P. Cusack, M. J. Corkery, M. J. Corcoran, B. T. Johnston, C. P. Corkery, E. J. Rolfe, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird: div. W. D. Warren, F. C. Goode, R. Cooper, 5/5. No. 6, Box Sweep: P. Cusack, 3/3. No. 7, Box Sweep: F. C. Goode, 5/5.

Beautiful sunny day. All D.B. events, plus trap. Hope to have automatic trap installed on new ground by next shoot. J. Wales won the 2nd Heat of Cup with 11 first barrels in exciting shoot-off with B. T. Johnston. Members all still very keen and co-operative. Organisation seems to be improving each shoot.

(J. R. Geary, Hon. Sec.)

ALEXANDRA (V.), 10/10/53. — Weather conditions: high wind and showers. Attendance: 17 shooters. Results: No. 1, 3 pairs Double Rise: R. Nicholson, 3/3 pairs. No. 2, 3 pairs Deauville Doubles: R. Nicholson - R. Simmons, 3/3 pairs. No. 3, 10 pairs Deauville Doubles: 1st Trophy, G. Cookson - R. Williamson, 8/10 pairs; 2nd Trophy, Leo Doyle - Barry Doyle, 10/13 pairs. No. 4, 5 birds D.B.: div. W. Carpenter, G. Cookson, Luke Doyle, Barry Doyle, G. Courtney, 5/5. No. 5, 10 birds D.B.: R. Nicholson, R. Williamson, 10/10.

Poor attendance due largely to bad weather, and also influenza has at-

SOUTH COAST GUN CLUB

Southport - - - Queensland

1954 Annual Carnival

SATURDAY, 23rd JANUARY — 9.30 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Nomination, 5/-. C.D.

Event No. 2 — **1954 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT**

To be allotted by A.C.P.T.S.A. Regulation Nomination plus Optional Sweeps.

Sash and Trophy 1st, Trophies 2nd, 3rd and 12 ydr. (1st Trophy donated by Club President, G. S. Martin.)

SATURDAY NIGHT, 23rd JANUARY — 6 p.m.

Entertainment by Club Committee and Members to visitors. On the grounds.

Calcutta to be sold on £200 Handicap, 25th January.

MONDAY, 25th JANUARY — 9.30 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Nomination, 5/-. C.D.

Event No. 2 —

£200 - HANDICAP - £200

60 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL. Nomination, £5.
1st, £80; 2nd, £40; 3rd, £20; 12/13 ydr., £15; 14/15 ydr., £15; 16/17 ydr., £15; 18 yds. and over, £15.
1st, 2nd and 3rd not eligible for yardage prizes.

TUESDAY NIGHT, 26th JANUARY — 7.30 p.m.

Event No. 1 —

1954 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT

To be allotted by A.C.P.T.S.A. Regulation Nomination and Optional Sweeps. Sash and Trophies.

THURSDAY, 28th JANUARY — 10 a.m.

Event No. 1 —

Gaven Shield - Team Shoot

Event No. 2 —

Legacy Shoot

30 BIRDS DOUBLE BARREL. Points 3 and 2.

Association Handicaps. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. (1st Trophy donated by E. Ryland.)

THURSDAY NIGHT, 28th JANUARY — 7.30 p.m.

Event No. 1 —

1954 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT

To be allotted by A.C.P.T.S.A. Regulation Nomination and Optional Sweeps. Sash and Trophies.

SATURDAY, 30th JANUARY — 9.30 a.m.

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD SINGLE BARREL EYE-OPENER. Nomination, 5/-. C.D.

Event No. 2 —

A. G. Sturgess Memorial Handicap - £100

30 BIRDS S.B., 16 yds. Nom., £4/10/-. Divided: 12/13 ydr., £25; 14/15, £25; 16/17, £25; 18 and over, £25.

SUNDAY, 31st JANUARY — 10 a.m.

... A Day of Doubles ...

Event No. 1 — I.C.I. TROPHY SHOOT. 6 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE. Nomination, 12/-.
2 yds. in front of Assoc. H'cap. Limit 12 yds. 1st Trophy donated by I.C.I., Value £10. Trophies 2nd and 3rd.

Event No. 2 — 3 PR. DEAUVILLE DOUBLES. Nomination, 4/-. No division.

Event No. 3 —

£50 - FAREWELL HANDICAP - £50

20 PRS. DEAUVILLE DOUBLES. Nom., £1/10/- per shooter. 1st, £30; 2nd, £15; 3rd, £5.

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All Events under A.C.P.T.S.A. Conditions. The Committee reserves the right to alter or modify any event, change the sequence of events, or cancel any event for which there are insufficient shooters.

No Liability. The Organisers, whilst taking every precaution, do not accept responsibility for any accidental damage to any person or property on the grounds, or safe custody of guns, ammunition, clothing, etc., deposited in buildings or elsewhere.

Registered Shooters must produce A.C.P.T.S.A. Registration and Handicap Card. Make sure your correct Handicap is shown before leaving your home centre.

Calcuttas. In the event of ties, Calcuttas may be divided, provided owners are unanimous.

Refreshments will be available at the grounds. Ammunition available.

Visitors requiring accommodation are requested to contact the Secretary at the earliest opportunity. Booking is heavy over Christmas and January.

G. S. MARTIN, President, Moorong, Surfers Paradise.

Mrs. G. S. MARTIN, Hon. Sec., Moorong, Surfers Paradise.
Telephone: Surfers Paradise 238.

tacked many in the district. Almost everyone seemed to have an off day on the same day and shooting was even worse than the bad weather conditions should have made it. Alternate periods of calm, then strong gusts of wind from almost any direction brought everyone back to the learners' class. Club thanks to the ladies for a nice afternoon tea.

(Luke Doyle, Correspondent.)

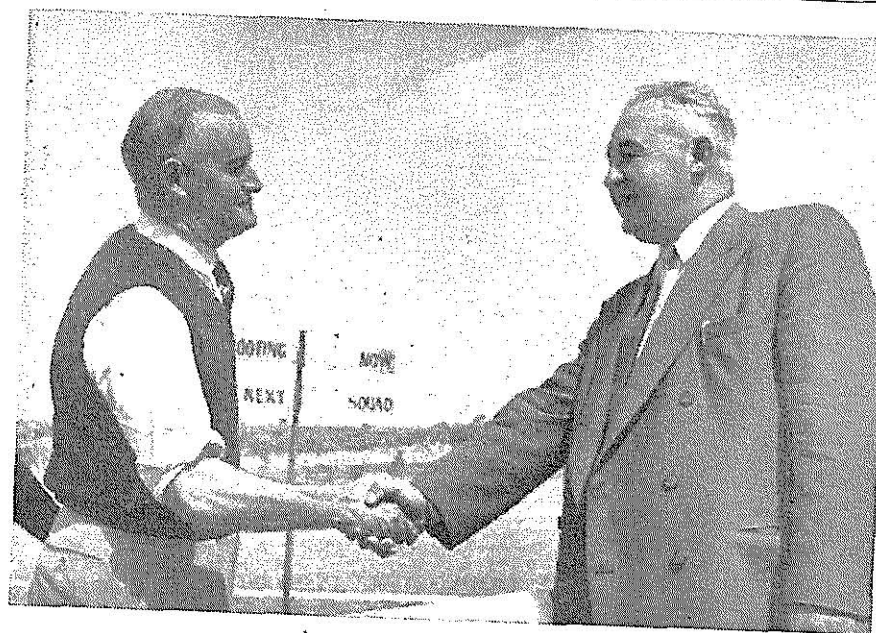
BURDEKIN (Qld.), 19/9/53. — Weather conditions: fine and clear, but windy. Attendance: very good. The main event of the shoot was the Commonwealth Walk-up Championship. Our newspaper Editor reported: "A popular shot won the Commonwealth Championship, held at Ayr. He was Fred Blackman, Secretary of the Townsville Gun Club." A few words, but expressing the feelings of everyone present.

Results are as follow: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: B. Rubiolo, 5/5; K. Russel, 9/10. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Points: B. Rubiolo, L. Ashworth, 15/15; J.

Smith, 14/15. No. 3, 5-bird W. up: J. Griggs, 5/5. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Points: R. Cornford, 28/30; Casalegno, A. Collinson, 27/30. No. 5, 5-bird S.B.: J. H. Izatt, C. Wellington, C. Haller, S. Horwood, F. Claussen Snr., F. Bell, J. Griggs, 5/5. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: M. Pry S. Horwood, A. Collinson, B. Rubiolo, J. Gerber, K. Russel, J. Casalegno, J. H. Izatt, W. Adcock, J. Cross, Bell, G. Goodman, J. Joyce, H. Russell, 5/5. No. 6, 15-bird D.B.: Collinson, J. Gerber, C. Haller, Adcock, S. Ball, S. Horwood, V. Collinson, 15/15. No. 7, Commonwealth Walk-up Championship: F. Blackman, 21/25; J. Collinson, 24/30; S. Ball, 23/30.

(L. J. Ashworth, Hon. Sec.)

DARR RIVER (Qld.), 3/10/53. — Weather conditions: hot, strong wind. Attendance: fair. Result: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: A. Purcell and H. Owens, div., 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird D.B.: J. Gibson and L. Walker, div 5/5. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: W. Dunn



Dr. H. H. Martin (Yarram) (left) greets Association President, Jock Wilson, on his return from overseas.

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and A. Purcell, div., 9/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Points: J. Gibson, 15/15. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: J. Gibson, 10/10. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: Shoot-off resulting, 1st, H. Owens, 10/10; 2nd, L. Walker, 9/10. No. 7, 5-bird D.B.: 1st, Dr. K. Brown, 3/5. No. 8, Miss-out: 1st, R. Poole, 5/5; 2nd, K. Banks, 4/5.

Although the shooting was fair, at no stage during the afternoon did big scores look possible owing to the very strong hot wind. Shooters from all local clubs were present.

(H. M. Owens, Hon. Sec.)

NEWCASTLE (N.S.W.), 3/10/53. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O. D.B.: D. Scowcroft, 10/10; R. Melville, 13/15; I. Hoare, 12/15. No. 2, 5-bird S.B. Jackpot: J. Edwards, 9/10; A. Hartley, 8/10; R. Young, 8/10. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Trophy, Points 3 and 2: H. Bowden, 27/30; R. Young, 26/30; D. Scowcroft, 25/30. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Sparrow: J. Fryer, 10/10; R. Melville, 9/10. No. 5, ½ round Skeet: F. Anderson, 9/11; A. Hancock, 9/11.

Under ideal conditions the members conducted their fortnightly shoot. Don Scowcroft, only needing 20 to complete 100. break, missed his 13th release, making a total of 92; his previous 80 unfinished was made at Bankstown. Congratulations, Don, the first member of the club to secure a break badge.

(Harry Bowden, Hon. Sec.)

CAIRNS (Qld.).—Members of the Cairns Gun Club conducted an afternoon clay pigeon shoot last Sunday, 4/10/53. The main event of the afternoon, the fourth round of the Estralita Trophy, decided the outright winner of this trophy. The Estralita Trophy, a handsome silver cup, was donated by Estralita Kennels, of Earlville, Cairns, some two years ago, to be shot for quarterly, one point being granted to the winner of each shoot. The trophy had to be won two years in succession, or three years in all for any shooter to retain the cup permanently. Jock Izatt was the winner of this trophy for 1952, and again proved himself by winning the trophy this year, thus retaining the trophy permanently. Points scoring in the shoot-off for

this trophy for 1953 included Tom Cowles (1), W. Balzer (1), and Jock Izatt (2).

Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: J. Izatt, 5/5; K. Hutchinson and H. Vickers, 4/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.: T. Cowles and J. Izatt, 5/5; M. Turner and D. Bartholomai, 4/5. No. 3, 10-bird S.B., Estralita Cup: 1st, W. Balzer, 8/10; 2nd, C. Balzer, 8/11; 3rd, K. Hutchinson, 7/11. No. 4, 3-bird Walk-up: D. Bartholomai. No. 5, D.B. Point Shooting: 1st, J. Izatt, 14/15; 2nd, D. Goode, 18/21; 3rd, D. Bartholomai, 15/21.

(Tom Cowles, Publicity Officer.)

MILDURA (V.), 10/10/53. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 31 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: E. Bruce, 5/5; L. Metcalf, 5/5; S. F. Shields, 5/5; B. Pollard, 5/5; Les Richardson, 5/5; V. Randle, 5/5; C. Barnes, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: K. Barnes, 10/10; B. Pollard, 10/10; D. Bruce, 10/10, div. No. 3, Trophy, 20-bird D.B.: T. Ribarits, 35/35, 1st; D. Bruce, 34/35, 2nd; B. Pollard, 24/25, 3rd; K. Barnes, 23/25, best 12/14 yarder. No. 4, 5-bird D.B. Pts. Decision: C. Barnes, 15 pts.; S. Mills, 15 pts. No. 5, Miss-out: T. Ribarits.

With good weather conditions, some excellent scores were shot, mainly by the younger members of the club. The Ladies' Committee provided a very enjoyable afternoon tea and cool drinks, which helped to swell the funds of the club.

(K. J. Peake, Hon. Sec.)

Hobart Gun Club

BRIGHTON, TASMANIA.

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Saturday, 28th November, 1953

Commencing 1.30 p.m.

Event No. 1:

5 BIRD TOWER - - Nomination, 5/-.

Event No. 2:

... State ... Tower Championship

(20 BIRDS)

1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Nomination, 25/-.
with 10/- Optional Sweepstake.

Event No. 3:

10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL SWEEPSTAKE
Nomination, 20/-.

Event No. 4:

10 BIRD SINGLE BARREL SWEEPSTAKE
Nomination, 20/-.

Event No. 5:

10 BIRD DOUBLE BARREL SWEEPSTAKE
Nomination, 20/-.

AFTERNOON TEA SERVED ON GROUND.

J. M. TYQUIN, President.

D. BRIDGES, Hon. Sec.

CHARLEVILLE (Qld.), 13/9/53.—
Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: N. West, Reg Akers, L. Haseler, O. Smith, John Raleigh, 10/10 each. No. 2, 10-bird Point D.B.: A. Armstrong, D. McKerrow and John Raleigh, 30/30 pts. each. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: Reg Akers, K. West, O. W. Smith, 10/10 each. No. 4, £10 Hcp., 20-bird D.B. Point: 1st, div. John Raleigh, 59/60, and L. Haseler, 59/60; 3rd, O. Smith, 57/60. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: N. West, T. Akers, B. Schooley, J. W. Raleigh, John Raleigh, 10/10 each. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: L. Haseler, John Raleigh and J. W. Raleigh, 10/10. No. 7, 10-bird D.B.: Reg Akers, D. McKerrow, L. Haseler, O. Smith, T. Akers, J. W. Raleigh, John Raleigh, B. Schooley, 10/10. No. 8, 10-bird D.B.: J. Page, O. Smith, John Raleigh, J. W. Raleigh, B. Schooley, 10/10. No. 9, 10-bird D.B.: N. West, K. West, L. Haseler, T. Akers, John Raleigh, B. Schooley, 10/10 each. No. 10, D.B. Miss-out: shared by N. West, G. Akers, O. Smith, B. Schooley, A. Armstrong, 7/7. No. 11, D.B. Miss-out: shared by N. West, E. Wilkinson, T. Akers, R. Akers, L. Haseler, J. W. Raleigh, 6/6. No. 12, D.B. Miss-out: shared by R. A. Akers and B. Schooley, 6/6 each.

An enjoyable shoot was held on the 13th Sept., and the programme consisted of a 100-bird event for an aggregate trophy and sectional trophies, which was divided into various sweepstakes and prizes. John Raleigh won the aggregate trophy with 288/300 points and sectional winners were: 19 ydr. and above, J. W. Raleigh, 271/300 pts.; 17/18 ydr., John Raleigh, 288/300 pts.; 15/16 ydr., D. McKerrow, 258/300; 13/14 ydr., N. West, 262/300; and 12 ydr., E. Wilkinson, 211/300.

18/10/53. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: shared by N. West, R. Tyrwhitt, L. Haseler, Reg Akers, O. Smith, T. Akers, J. W. Raleigh, John Raleigh, 5/5 each. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. (16 yds.), 4 possibles: 1st, T. Akers, 55/55; 2nd and 3rd, div. J. W. Raleigh and N. West, 54/55. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Point: shared by T. Akers, B. Schooley, John Raleigh, Reg Akers, 30/30 pts. No. 4, D.B. Miss-out: shared by L. Haseler, N.

West, O. Smith, 15/15 each. No. 5, 30-bird D.B. Point (£20 Hcp.): 1st, Reg Akers, 88/90 pts.; 2nd, L. Haseler, 84/90 pts.; 3rd, O. Smith, 83/90 pts.; 12 ydr., E. Wilkinson, 69/90. No. 6, D.B. Miss-out: div. R. Tyrwhitt, John Raleigh, E. Geary, E. Wilkinson, Reg Akers, 9/9 each. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. Silent Rise: div. John Raleigh, E. Geary, 15/15 each. No. 8, 5-bird D.B. (Strange Gun): div. G. Akers, D. McKerrow, O. Smith, B. Schooley, John Raleigh, 5/5 each.

A very good club shoot was held on the 18th Oct. and excellent shooting resulted. The major breaks were as follows: J. W. Raleigh commenced shooting with an unfinished break from Tambo of 77 and carried it on to 135 straight. Tom Akers also had 34 unfinished from Tambo and finished with 116 straight. N. West also shot well to qualify for a 50 straight badge, shooting 59 straight for the day. The club congratulated these shooters for their excellent shooting.

(R. Akers, Hon. Sec.)

MOREE (N.S.W.). — Moree Gun Club held their North-west N.S.W. Mixed-bird Championship on Friday and Saturday, 9th and 10th October. Shooting conditions were good on the first day and shooting standards were excellent. Two shooters achieved their first 50 break, namely, Norman Danes of Goondiwindi and L. Kee of Moree. Shooting on the second day was not so good owing to gusty westerly winds. J. Nunn of South Coast Club (Qld.) had an unfinished 199 at Roma; he finished his break here at 142.

Results 1st Day. 5-bird Eye-opener: div. L. Yates, 5/5; G. Ritter, 5/5; H. Sullivan, 5/5; A. McIntosh, 5/5; R. Williams, 5/5; B. Turner, 5/5; T. Boydell, 5/5; N. Danes, 5/5. North-West N.S.W. Mixed Birds Championship: 1st, W. Turner (Weir River), 19/20; 2nd, F. Thompson, 21/25; 3rd, Pee Wee Thompson, 20/25; best 12/13 ydr., K. Badgery, 12/20. £50 Open Handicap: N. Danes, 1st; J. Nunn and J. Humphries, div. 2nd and 3rd; best 12/13 ydr., K. Badgery. 15-bird Trophy Shoot: N. Danes, 1st; J. Nunn, 2nd. 10-bird Point Score: L. Kee, 30/30. 10-bird Point Score: div. A. McIntosh, 30/30; W. Turner, 30/30. 10-bird Point Score: div. W.

Griffith Gun Club

- N.S.W. -

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Double Championship Day

SATURDAY, 5th DECEMBER, 1953

Commencing 10 a.m.—

5 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. Nom., 10/-.

Compulsory Division 8th round.

20 BIRD D.B. TROPHY. Nom., 20/- Op. Sweep, 10/-.

1st, 2nd, 3rd Trophies (Value £20)

Other events time permitting before lunch.

Commencing 2 p.m.—

20 BIRD S.B. TROPHY. Nom., 20/- Op. Sweep 10/-.

1st, 2nd, 3rd Trophies (Value £20)

Central Riverina Double Barrel Championship

20 BIRD D.B. from 16 yds. Nom., 20/- Op. Sweep 10/-.

1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd and 12/13 yds.

£25 - HANDICAP - £25

(subject to increase nominations permitting)

Div. 55%, 30%, 10% and 5% 12/13 yds.

20 BIRD D.B. Nom., 25/- Op. Sweep 10/-, 5/-.

OTHER EVENTS AS TIME PERMITS.

Commencing 8 p.m.—

Commonwealth Single Barrel Night Championship

40 BIRD S.B. FROM 20 YDS. RISE.

1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd, 3rd and 12/13 yds.

Nom., 40/- Op. Sweeps 10/-.

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Refreshments, Luncheon, Afternoon Tea, Supper on Grounds.

— Limited supply of cartridges available —

A.C.P.T.S.A. Handicaps and Conditions throughout day.

Nomination will not be accepted unless 1953 Registration Cards are produced.

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Eather, 30/30; G. H. Wade, 30/30;
J. Nunn, 30/30.

Results 2nd Day Shoot. 5-bird
D.B.: div. Pee Wee Thompson, 5/5;
V. Eather, 5/5; W. Webster, 5/5; L.
Kee, 5/5; E. Redman, 5/5; N. Danes,
5/5; F. Thompson, 5/5; L. Pryor,
5/5; J. Boydell, 5/5; T. Boydell, 5/5;
B. Glennie, 5/5; R. McCumstie, 5/5.
10-bird Trophy Shoot Point Score:
W. Turner, 45/45, 1st; J. Nunn, 38/
45, 2nd. 30-bird D.B. Trophy Shoot:
E. Redman, 30/30, 1st; V. Coppock,
29/30, 2nd; O. Grover, 28/30, 3rd;
best 12/13 ydr., K. Badgery, 28/30.
£100 Handicap, 30-bird Point Score:
1st, J. Nunn, 89/90; 2nd, N. Danes,
84/90; div. 3rd, W. Webster, 82/90;
K. Badgery, 82/90. 10-bird S.B.
Sweepstake: div. V. Eather, 10/10;
O. Grover, 10/10.

(F. Thompson, Hon. Sec.)

CONDOBOLIN (V.), 4/10/53. —
Weather conditions: cross wind. At-
tendance: 25 shooters. Results: No.
1, 5-bird Eye-opener: div. K. White
and H. Anderson, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird
Sweep: div. W. Cross and A. Rowley,
10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Trophy:
D. Aitken, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.
Sweep: div. Newton Thomas, A.
Hodge and D. Aitken, 5/5. No. 5,
5-bird D.B. Sweep: shot off by D.
Aitken, A. Martens, A. Hodge, W.
Cross, L. Sim, K. Malcuf, L. Laneyrie,
R. Tyack. Results: div. A. Mar-
tens, A. Hodge, N. Thomas, L. Sim,
D. Aitken, L. Laneyrie, 6/6. No. 6,
5-bird Sweep: div. L. Tyack and W.
Gavel, 5/5. No. 7, 10-bird D.B. £50
Handicap: 1st, D. Bacigalupo, 10/10;
2nd and 3rd, div. W. Gavel, D. Aitken,
A. Rowley and L. Laneyrie, 9/10.
No. 8, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: shoot-off
by A. Hodge, N. Thomas, L. Laneyrie,
D. Bacigalupo, 5/5; after shoot-
ing 17/18, L. Laneyrie and D. Baciga-
lupo div.

This shoot took place on Mr. W. A.
Gavel's station "Newhaven", who
placed his home at the club's dis-
posal to serve lunch. The Ladies'
Auxiliary did a wonderful job in
serving a poultry lunch and supply-
ing a most tasty afternoon tea.
Shooters present from Sydney,
Parkes, Forbes, Grenfell, Tullibigeal
and Orange. A large attendance of
spectators were in attendance, and
all visiting shooters were much im-

pressed by the sight and the general
conduct of the shoot.

5/10/53. — Weather conditions:
ideal. Attendance: 29 shooters. Re-
sults: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: div.
W. Gifford, L. Sim, L. Laneyrie, A.
Martens, F. Barnes, L. Tyack, A.
Hodge and C. Hodge, 5/5. No. 2,
5-bird Eye-opener, off 16 yds.: div.
Newton Thomas, H. Anderson, A.
Martens, W. Cross, D. Hurkett, A.
Hodge and D. Aitken, 5/5. No. 3,
20-bird Lower Lachlan D.B. Cham-
pionship: 1st, Newton Thomas, 20/
20; shoot-off for placings by F.
Barnes, L. Sim, W. Cross and A.
Hodge, each with 19/20, and resulted,
2nd, F. Barnes, 24/25; shoot-off for
3rd resulted in a win for W. Cross,
28/30, from L. Sim, 27/30; 12 yd.
Trophy, shot off by W. Gifford and
L. Tyack, 16/20; winner, W. Gifford,
24/30. No. 4, 5-bird Sweep: div. L.
Laneyrie, F. Barnes, W. Cross, R.
Tyack, R. Young, L. Tyack, C. Hodge,
Newton Thomas, W. Gifford and R.
Selems, 5/5. No. 5, 10-bird £50 D.B.
Handicap: 1st, A. Martens, 10/10;
2nd and 3rd, div. Newton Thomas,
L. Sim, W. Cross, W. Gavel, A.
Hodge, F. Barnes and J. McKeough
(McKenzy), 9/10. As A. Martens
was not in Calcutta on this event,
Calcutta was div. Newton Thomas
and A. Hodge, 11/12. No. 6, 5-bird
D.B. Trophy with Op. Sweep: Sweep
div. L. Sim, F. Barnes, W. Cross, D.
Hukett and J. McKeough ("McKen-
zie"), 5/5; in shoot-off after shoot-
ing 14/14, D. Hukett and F. Barnes
div. No. 7, 10-bird S.B. Sweep: div.
L. Tyack and W. Gifford, 10/10.

Perfect weather for shooting. All
shoot on auto traps. Again a good
attendance of visiting shooters and
the club was quite pleased with its
first Championship shoot. The club
wishes to tender a vote of thanks to
Mr. Newton Thomas and H. Anderson
for their advice, assistance and co-
operation throughout the two days'
shoot, also to L. Sim for his co-
operation.

17/10/53. — Weather conditions:
very warm, but calm. Attendance:
18. Results (Club Shoot): No. 1,
5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: shot off by
W. Gavel, F. Barnes, L. Laneyrie and
K. Gordon, 4/5; div. F. Barnes and
L. Laneyrie, 5/6. No. 2, 5-bird Point
Score: W. Gavel, 14/15. No. 3, 5-bird

Wongabri Gun Club

(Bowral, N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

.. Clay Pigeon Shoot ..

(A.C.P.T.S.A. Rules)

28TH NOVEMBER, 1953

Starting 1.30 p.m.

1st Event — 4th Round of TRAVELLERS' TROPHY,
5 Birds D.B. Nom., 10/-. Op. Sweep, 10/-.

2nd Event —

South Coast and Southern Tableland Double-Rise Championship

12 Pairs off 16 yds. Nom., 25/-. Op. Sweep, 10/-.
1st, Sash and Trophy; 2nd and 3rd Trophies.

3rd Event —

£50 Handicap

15 BIRD D.B.

1st, £30; 2nd, £10; 3rd, £5; £5 to best 12/14 yarder.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING

Right to alter programme is reserved should unforeseen circumstances arise.

Automatic Trap - - - Afternoon Tea available

A. W. PALMER, President, EDNA E. SULLIVAN, Sec.,
Bowral. Queen St., Mittagong.

D.B. Gavel Trophy: shot off by F. Barnes, W. Gifford, J. McKeogh (McKenzy) and R. Selems, 5/5; won by J. McKeogh, 10/10. No. 4, 5-bird Learners' Trophy: C. Moller, 4/5. No. 5, 5-bird Learners' Pool Trophy: K. Jones, 4/5. No. 6, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: F. Barnes, 5/5. No. 7, 10-bird Point Score: W. Gifford, 29/30.

Conditions very warm and glare bad. It is very pleasing to see J. McKeogh ("McKenzie"), who was responsible for starting this club years ago and who was secretary for years, again gaining some of his old form. Our Learners' events are doing a lot to foster the sport in this area, and a good field in these events is always assured.

(L. F. Fay, Hon. Sec.)

MYERS FLAT (V.), 3/10/53. — Weather conditions: windy. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: 1st, B. Ryan. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, Leo Cusack; 2nd, R. Stagg. No. 3, 10-bird Points: 1st, Leo Cusack; 2nd, R. Stagg. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, B. Ryan; 2nd, Rob Santon. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, B. Ryan; 2nd, W. Santon; 3rd, H. Caruthers. No. 6, Miss-out: 1st, P. Wade.

A high wind gave shooters a lot of trouble—small field, but an interesting shoot.

7/10/53. — Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 36 (night shoot). Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: S. Adams (Donald), 1st, 11/11; L. Cusack (Bendigo), 2nd, 14/15; R. Re-seigh (Donald), 3rd, 13/15. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: S. Adams (Donald), 1st, 13/14; G. Walters (Ballarat), 2nd, 12/14; E. Brinsmead, 3rd, 9/10. No. 3, 5-bird Points System: R. Lewis (Castlemaine), 1st, 13 pts.; L. Caw (Maryborough), 2nd; W. Blakely (Harcourt), 3rd.

This is the first shoot held under lights and was a success. In all, 36 shooters and hundreds of spectators. Lighting was quite good and can be improved with a few minor adjustments.

(W. A. Santon, Sec.)

COBAR (N.S.W.), 27/9/53. — Weather conditions: fair. Attendance: large. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: D. Osborne, 1st, 16/16; A. Honeyman, W. Manns, 2nd, 15/16. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Trophy

Event: W. Manns, 13/13; A. Burgess, 12/13. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Trophy Event: D. Osborne, 20/20; G. Manns, 19/20. No. 4, 10-bird Point Score Trophy: M. Burgess, 30/30; C. Johnston, J. Robinson, W. Manns, 29/30. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: M. Burgess and W. Manns, div., 22/22. No. 6, 5-bird D.B. Trophy Event: W. Manns, 20/20; S. Meddeman, 19/20. No. 7, 20 birds (10 S.B., 10 D.B.): W. Manns, 24/24; M. Burgess, 23/24. No. 8, 10-bird D.B.: M. Burgess, 34/34; W. Manns, 33/34.

This shoot was held in aid of the Town Queen in the local Ambulance, and 20 odd shooters were in attendance from Cobar, Bourke and Nymagee. Some good shooting was witnessed, most outstanding shooters being W. Manns and M. Burgess.

(W. K. Osborne, Hon. Sec.)

MOE (V.), 10/10/53. — Weather conditions: showery and windy. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: S. Sargent, 15/15 pts. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Rowlands, 13/13; 2nd, M. Beck, 12/13. No. 3, 5-bird Walk-up: div. L. Robinson, 5/5; S. Sargent, 5/5; H. Guyatt, 4/5. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: div. E. Rowlands, R. Glover, M. Burke, 5/5. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. S/stake: C. Budge, 8/8.

Wintry conditions existed throughout the afternoon, playing havoc with the flight of the birds. E. Rowlands won the main Trophy event in a shoot-off from M. Beck. Attendance was poor, especially local shooters, and once again Sale, Morwell and Drouin Clubs' support was most welcome.

(Ross Soden, Hon. Sec.)

TASMANIAN (Launceston, Tas.). — On Saturday, Oct. 3, the Tasmanian Gun Club conducted a most successful shoot at the St. Leonards ground. The weather was ideal and a large number of shooters attended from all parts of Tasmania, together with several from Victoria. Main event of the day was Interstate Teams Match, a team of 10 was selected by an elimination shoot of 20 birds, which was keenly contested. Messrs. W. Rainbird (Launceston), P. Marshall, S. Marshall (Hobart), N. Frith (Launceston) gained the possible of 20/20, whilst A. J. Birchall, R. Powell, H. Eddington, J. D. Neenan,

Richmond River Gun Club

CASINO - NEW SOUTH WALES

(Affiliated with A.C.P.T.S.A.)

At South Casino Racecourse on

Saturday, 5th December, 1953

SWEEPSTAKES (Comp. Div.), 5 Birds — 9.30 a.m.

NORTH COAST (N.S.W.) SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

Entry fee, 25/-.

(Trophies and Optional Sweepstakes — without deductions)

£50 HANDICAP

(Guaranteed) — Entry, 50/-.

(and Optional Sweepstakes — without deductions)

**AGGREGATE SCORE OVER CHAMPIONSHIP AND
HANDICAP.** Entry fee, 5/-.

(exclusive of scores in tie shoots)

(Trophy and Optional Sweepstakes — without deductions)

**OTHER EVENTS FOR TROPHIES AND SWEEPSTAKES AS
TIME PERMITS.**

The Committee reserves the right to alter the programme.
Decision of Committee final subject to A.C.P.T.S.A. Rules.

D. K. J. KISSANE,
President,
Casino.

W. RICHARDSON, Hon. Sec.,
128 West St., Casino.
Phone 633, Casino.

E. McCrae, T. Cannon, R. Redpath and R. Green scored 19/20. In the shoot-off to decide the team, Neenan and Birchall were eliminated. The Tasmanians shot extremely well and the team as a whole finished with 469/500. S. Marshall and R. Powell each broke 50/50 and in shoot-off for high-gun trophy Marshall was successful with unfinished 70/70. At the conclusion of the shoot, A.C.P.T.S.A. President, Mr. Jock Wilson, gave a most interesting talk on shooting conditions seen in a recent trip to Europe and America. This was very much appreciated by those present.

Other results: 5-bird D.B.: div. B. Richmond, C. Poxon, N. Frith, M. Johnstone, J. Jetson, R. Rockliffe, P. Marshall, S. Marshall, E. McCrae, J. Brent, W. R. Morgan, R. Redpath, R. Tubb, J. Tyquin, J. Wilson, H. Eddington, 5/5. 10-bird D.B.: div. E. Robinson, W. R. Morgan, A. J. Birchall, R. C. Tubb, J. Tubb, 10/10. Elimination Shoot, Op. Sweepstake: div. W. Rainbird, P. Marshall, S. Marshall, N. Frith, 20/20. £50 Handicap: div. R. Sculthorpe, A. J. Birchall, W. Rainbird, C. Churchill, S. Marshall, E. McCrae, R. Redpath, J. Wilson, 20/20.

(J. F. Bennell, Sec.)

ABERMAIN (N.S.W.), 20/9/53. — Weather conditions: very windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O.: R. Fidler, J. Barker, A. Hancock, R. Morton and R. Melville, div., 5/5. No. 2, 7-bird S.B. Trophy: E. Bailey, 17/22, after shoot-off with A. Hancock, 16/22, R. Melville and R. Morton, 10/12. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. P.S. Trophy: A. Hancock, 20/20; J. Fryer, 18/20. No. 4, 7-bird D.B.: A. Hancock, W. Bailey, O. Cesco, div., 7/7. No. 5, 5-bird D.B. P.S.: O. Cesco, 10/10; A. Hancock, 9/10. No. 6, 5-bird D.B. P.S.: F. Apthorpe, 9/10.

Weather very cold and windy, making things unpleasant for shooting, and under the circumstances scores are reasonably good. New club members are showing improvement and they are to be congratulated on progress shown.

11/10/53. — Weather conditions: fine and windy. Results: No. 1, 5-bird E.O. D.B.: W. Davies, R. Young and R. Morton, div., 5/5. No. 2, 7-bird S.B. Trophy: W. Davies, 14/17,

after shoot-off with H. Pankhurst, 13/17. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Sweep: A. Hancock, 9/10, after shoot-off with G. Farr, H. Bowden, J. Edwards, E. Bailey, R. Young and W. Bailey. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. P.S. Trophy: W. Davies, 20/20. No. 5, 5-bird S.B. Sweep: W. Davies, 5/5.

Weather fine, but a very strong north-east breeze blowing straight into trap caused birds to do things which were not expected, and due to this fact, shooting on the day was very ordinary.

(J. H. Johnston, Hon. Sec.)

RAINBOW (V.), 10/10/53. — Twenty shooters attended a clay bird shoot at Rainbow on Saturday afternoon, 10/10/53. President's Trophy was won by E. Giddings (Brim), 13/13. K. Crittenden (Jeparit) won the main event for a handsome Club Trophy, with 13/13, and K. Miller (Jeparit) won another trophy presented by J. Clarke and K. R. Wishart with 12/12. Deauville Doubles was won by J. Clarke and K. Crittenden, and L. Hodgson and R. Golder won a similar event. Miss-out from 16 yards was div. L. Davies and E. Giddings, 7/7. The Club has nearly completed the installation of a lighting system and members are looking forward to night shooting in the near future.

(J. Wishart Jnr., Hon. Sec.)

TAMBO (Qld.), 27/9/53. — Weather conditions: fine, light afternoon cloud. Attendance: 42 shooters. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Point Score, 3 and 2: L. Hasler, 30/30, outright. No. 2, Barcoo D.B. Championship, 7 possibles in shoot-off: J. W. Raleigh, 1st, 35/35; John Raleigh, 2nd, 34/35; O. W. Smith, 3rd, 56/58; best 12 ydr., P. Smith. No. 3, £50 Hcp., 20-bird Points Score, 3 and 2: O. W. Smith, 1st, 60/60; J. W. Raleigh, 2nd, 59/60; Reg Akers and A. R. Tibbits, div. 3rd, 58/60 each. No. 4, 15-bird Point Sweep: Leo Hasler, 1st, 45/45; A. R. Tibbits, 2nd, 59/60; W. Chandler, 3rd, 58/60.

As can be seen by the results, shooting was on a high standard. Members from Clara Creek and Charleville Clubs being well to the fore right through the day's shooting. Shoot secretary, Reg Kent, and H. Walker won the "Doch-an-Dorris"

Harcourt Gun Club

(VICTORIA)

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

Saturday, 5th December, 1953

Event No. 1 — 5 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE

Division at the end of the first round.

Event No. 2 —

15 Bird Double Barrel Club Championship

off 16 yds. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 12/13 yd. Trophies.

Nomination, £1. 10/- off Sweepstake. Div. 60, 30, 10.

Event No. 3 —

COMBINED EVENT

5 Bird S.B. and 5 Bird D.B. off Handicap marks.

1st and 2nd Trophies.

Nomination, 10/- 5/- Op. Sweepstake.

Afternoon Tea and Cartridges available on Ground.

H. D. SMITH, President.

C. H. HARRIS, Secretary.

Deauville, Quin and D. Cameron 2nd place.

(J. E. Quin, Hon. Sec.)

CUNNAMULLA (Qld.), 25/10/53.
—Weather conditions: windy with light showers. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Eye-opener, comp. div.: E. Geary, B. Moody and Reg Barden, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B., all off 16 yds.: 1st, E. Geary, 20/20 (Trophy by Mr. R. Gardiner); 2nd, N. Norris, 19/20 (Trophy by Mr. Fred Warmal); 3rd, W. Moody, 24/27; best 12 ydr., J. Hanns, 18/20 (Trophy by Mr. W. Whitfield). No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Point (Strange Guns): J. Hanns, 15/15, and W. Moody, 15/15. No. 4, 5-bird S.B., comp. div.: W. Moody, B. Moody, D. Webster, D. Law, 5/5. No. 5, 10-bird S.B.: W. Moody, 10/10 (Trophy by Club). No. 6, 15-bird D.B. Points: 1st, W. Moody, 60/60 (Trophy by Mr. T. Galway); 2nd, E. Geary, 56/60 (Trophy by Mr. E. Geary); 3rd, R. Heine-mann, 43/45. No. 7, 5-bird S.B. S/stakes: E. Geary and N. Norris, 5/5. No. 8, 5-bird Silent Rise: J. Hanns and E. Geary, 5/5. No. 9, 10-bird D.B. Points, comp. div.: J. Hanns, W. Moody and B. Moody, 27/30.

After two heavy days at the Diggers' Races the shooters were not in the best of form, and to make matters worse, the day was very windy, with showers of rain. This all tended to keep the standard of shooting rather low.

(Frances Osborne, Hon. Sec.)

COOMA (V.), 24/10/53.—Weather conditions: ideal. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, Cent. Victorian Skeet Championship: W. McGregor, 15/20, 1st; E. Lawton, 14/20, 2nd; G. Coombs, 13/20, 3rd; B. Mathewson, 13/20, 4th. No. 2, 9 birds: div. E. Lawton, G. McLeod, L. Gibson, W. McGregor. No. 3, 3 pairs: div. A. Coward, R. Stagg. No. 4, 3 pairs: J. Pianta. Championship Sweeps: 1st, 7 birds, E. Lawton, J. Pianta, W. McGregor; 2nd, 7 birds, R. Adams, G. Coombs, R. Stagg; 3 pair, B. Mathewson, W. McGregor, E. Lawton; Overall, McGregor, Lawton, Coombs, Mathewson.

Attendance small owing to local shows. W. McGregor of Shepparton took the 1953 title and his win was

very popular and was congratulated on his grand performance and his first major title by the Club President and fellow shooters.

(R. T. Tuhan, Hon. Sec.)

PERTH (W.A.).—P.G.C. held their Annual State Championships at Club grounds situated at Clontarf Boys' Town on the 3rd and 4th October. Fifty shooters, representing Perth, Geraldton, Katanning, Cunderdin and Kellerberrin Gun Clubs, faced the traps. Although the weather was squally and rough, some good scores were registered. Championship sashes, 34 trophies and sweepstakes were competed for. The W.A. section of the Interstate D.B. D.T.L. Teams match was also shot off. Very rough squally conditions prevailed. C. Ferguson was high gun with 46.

October 3rd. State D.R. Championship; weather bad; 48 shooters. 1st, W. Elliott; 2nd, Ron Fisher; 3rd, J. Steere. Trophies for 12 yd., W. Brice; 13 yd., J. Clegg; 14 yd., J. Conlan; 15 yd., E. Clegg; 16 yd., E. Metcalf. State Intermediate Championship: 1st, W. Hewitt; 2nd, J. Harris and R. Alexander. 30-bird Handicap D.T.L.: 1st, T. Young; 2nd, E. Metcalf; 3rd, T. Blakely.

October 4th. State Walk-up Championship: 1st, Spencer Colliver; 2nd, H. Colliver; 3rd, Ron Fisher. Trophies for 12 yd., W. Coates; 13 yd., G. Elliott; 14 yd., K. Gamble; 15 yd., R. Wainwright. State Mixed Birds Championship: 1st, H. Colliver; 2nd, T. Blakely; 3rd, E. Metcalf. Trophies for 12 yd., S. Elliott; 13 yd., N. Beeck; 14 yd., C. O'Neil; 15 yd., M. Taylor; 16 yd., F. Bailey.

(S. G. Colliver, Hon. Sec.)

HORNSBY (N.S.W.), 3/10/53.—Weather conditions: warm, clear, light wind. Attendance: 30 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener: A. Spiter, N. Rogley, J. Hill, L. Grilk, J. Thomas, R. Faunt, J. McDouall, L. Hughes, R. Lonsdale, C. Meale, F. Hudson, J. Catt, C. Nicholls, W. Craigie, E. Ginty, O. Smith, each 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Sydney D.B. Championship: 1st, W. Hanley, 20/20—shoot-off, 9/10; 2nd, R. Faunt, 20/20—shoot-off, 8/10; 3rd, L. Hughes, 19/20—shoot-off with 5 others, 30/30. No. 3, D.B. Handicap Sweepstake, 15 birds: R. Faunt, W.

Australian Gun Club

INCORPORATING BLACKBURN AND NOBEL CLUBS
(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

NOVEMBER 28th

10 BIRD D.B. SWEEP. Nom., 10/-

20 Bird D.B.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 15/16, 13/14 and 12 yd. Trophies
Nom., 20/-.

9 BIRD SKEET. Nom., 10/-.

DECEMBER 2nd

FIRST NIGHT SHOOT

Three 10 BIRD SWEEPSTAKES
Nom., 12/- each.

DECEMBER 12th

CHRISTMAS SHOOT

30 BIRDS D.B. Nom., 30/-.
SEASONABLE TROPHIES FOR ALL.
Ice cream and lollies for the kiddies.
Refreshments for shooters.

NIGHT SHOOT — DECEMBER 16th

Three 10 BIRD SWEEPSTAKES
Nom., 12/- each.

N.B. — December 26th Day and December 30th Night
NO SHOTS.

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Hanley, F. Hudson, J. Catt, C. Nicholls, C. Michael, L. Crisp, A. Spiter, A. Everingham, W. Reid, each 15/15. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Handicap: R. Faunt, F. Hudson, J. Catt, C. Nicholls, E. Ginty, each 10/10—shoot-off: J. Catt, C. Nicholls, 17/17; R. Faunt, 11. Prize money div. mutual consent between J. Catt and C. Nicholls.

5/10/53.—Weather conditions: fine, gusty wind. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Eye-opener Sweep: A. Spiter, W. Craige, C. Anderson, W. Hanley, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird Sweep: F. Nicholls, W. Craige, L. P. Hughes, 10/10, div. No. 3, 10-bird Trophy: C. Nicholls, A. W. Catt — C. Nicholls 18/20 on shoot-off; Sweep div.; A. W. Catt won Trophy, 19/20, on shoot-off. No. 4, 10-bird Sweep: A. Spiter, W. Craige, F. Hudson, J. Thomas, F. Skate, 10/10, div. No. 5, 20-bird Sweep: F. Nicholls, F. Hudson, 20/20. No. 6, 10-bird Trophy and Sweep: F. Hudson, W. J. Ratty, 10/10; Sweep div., W. Ratty winning Trophy in shoot-off. No. 7, 10-bird: A. W. Catt, W. Craige. No. 8, 20-bird Sweep: F. Hudson, 20/20. No. 9, 10 birds off Fence: A. W. Catt, 9/10.

Weather conditions, fine, clear, with gusty wind. The attendance was not as good as expected, but some good shooting was witnessed, considering the flighted birds caused by the wind coming up over the rise of the hill. A special vote of thanks is accorded to Mrs. Everingham, who provided light luncheon and afternoon tea.
(F. W. J. Bourne, Hon. Sec.)

QUEANBEYAN (N. S. W.). — Queanbeyan Gun Club conducted an open shoot on Saturday, October 23, under ideal weather conditions, with a good attendance of shooters, many coming from distant parts, including four clay breakers from Sydney. The D.B. Championship of the Southern Districts of N.S.W. was won by W. Mackay of Adaminaby. The catering arrangements were in the capable hands of the club ladies under Mrs. M. J. Edlington and as usual were responsible for an excellent job.

Results: 5-bird Eye-opener: A. Lees, W. Jordan, G. Morton, F. Morton, J. Ginn and F. Hudson, 5/5. 10-bird P.S.: J. Neeld, J. A. Medway, F. Hudson and J. Tilyard, div., 30/30.

20-bird D.B. Championship of S.D. of N.S.W.: 1st, W. Mackay; 2nd, F. Hudson; 3rd, A. Lees; best 12 yds., G. Morton. 20-bird £50 Handicap: M. Smith, A. Lees, J. A. Medway, J. Tilyard, J. Brown, A. Bradley, B. Delaney, 20/20, div. 10-bird D.B. Sweepstake: W. Mackay, A. Lees, G. Morton, F. Morton, C. Lees, F. Hudson, L. Single, O. Hallam, A. Bradley, K. Darmody, 20/20, div. 10-bird P.S. Sweepstake: M. Edlington, F. Morton, F. Hudson, J. Tilyard and K. Darmody, 30/30, div. 5-bird Double Rise: M. Smith, 5/5. 5-bird Deauville Doubles: M. Smith and A. Bradley, 12/12.

(F. C. Morton, P.O.)

COFFS HARBOUR (N.S.W.). — Coffs Harbour Gun Club, Oct., 1953. The annual Championships and £100 Handicap took place at Macaulay's Headland on Friday, 2nd, and Saturday, 3rd October. The meeting went off with a bang. Fine weather — clear days — tempered by a breeze, gave shooters the chance to show their form both on the tracks and at the table, where lobster and snapper, prepared by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Seccombe and served by lady helpers, were much appreciated. Some very good shooting was seen on both days. During the afternoon tea break on Friday, President G. D. T. Seccombe welcomed the visitors and hoped they would have a good time. Visitors included Fred Skate (Melbourne), Boyce Siddons (St. George), Hughie Flood (Bourke) and K. Murphy (Warwick, Q.), while shooters also came from Tamworth, Lismore, Grafton, Casino and Kempsey.

On Friday the S.B. Championship was won by Fred Skate (Melb.), with Boyce Siddons 2nd and K. Murphy, 3rd. At the conclusion of Sunday's shoot the President invited all present to tea, after which a Calcutta was run. The main shoots on Saturday were the D.B. Championship and the £100. H'cap. The Championship was won by Boyce Siddons, with G. D. T. Seccombe 2nd and C. Bowden 3rd. The £100 Handicap was won by K. Murphy, a lad of 16, who shot with the assurance of a veteran and put up a good performance against keen competition. At the conclusion of the meeting the President presented trophies and prizes to successful shoot-

Mildura Clay Target Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

TWO DAY SHOOT

£600 IN PRIZE MONEY AND TROPHIES

28th and 29th - December - 1953

FIRST DAY, 28th DECEMBER, commencing 9 a.m.

Event No. 1—5 BIRD D.B. EYE-OPENER. 10/- Nomination.
(Compulsory Division after 8th Round)

Event No. 2—10 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKE. £1 Nomination.
(Compulsory Division)

Event No. 3—

£75 Double Barrel Handicap

Nomination, £3. 20 Birds.
(Divided 40%, 20%, 10%, and £5 best 12/14 yarder)
5/- Optional Sweep on each 10 Birds.

Event No. 4—

Mildura District Double Barrel Championship (Open)

1st, Trophy and Sash; 2nd, Trophy; 3rd, Trophy, and best
12/14 ydr. Trophy. Nomination, 25/-. 20 Birds off 16 yds.
Op. Sweep, 5/-.

Event No. 5—

£100 Double Barrel Handicap

(Points Decision) 20 Birds. Nomination, £4. Divided 55%, 30%,
10%. 5/- Optional Sweep on each 10 Birds, and £5 best 12/14 ydr.

Mildura Clay Target Club

(Affiliated A.C.P.T.S.A.)

SECOND DAY, 29th DECEMBER, commencing 9 a.m.

Event No. 1—10 BIRD D.B. SWEEPSTAKES. £1 Nomination.
(Compulsory Division)

Event No. 2—

£100 Single Barrel Handicap

20 Birds. Nomination, £4. Divided 55%, 30%, 10%, and £5 best
12/14 yarder. 5/- Optional Sweep on each 10 Birds.

Event No. 3—

.. £300 ..

Double Barrel Handicap

(Points Decision) 30 Birds. Nomination, £8. 15 birds from each
Trap, 3 birds each Track. Division (1st, £150; 2nd, £60; 3rd, £20;
and best 12/14 ydr., £10). (Next best six scores, £10 each).

10/- Calcutta on this Event, conducted on previous night,
Monday, 28th December, 1953.

All Calcutta shot to finality.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

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sidered necessary in the Programme. Whilst this Club is covered
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TWO AUTOMATIC TRAPS

Luncheon, Afternoon Tea and Cartridges available on Ground.
Shooters requiring Hotel Accommodation, ring Mildura 385
(between 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.) or Mildura 425 after 5 p.m.

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ers and thanked the visitors for helping to make the shoot a success. Secretary Dan Seccombe handled his arduous duties in his usual happy and capable manner.

Results, Friday, Oct. 2. 5-bird S.B. Eye-opener: F. Skate, G. D. T. Seccombe, A. Herdegen, div. 10-bird D.B. Trophy, No. 1: Tom Seccombe, 1st; A. Murphy, 2nd; V. Wullemin, 3rd. 10-bird D.B. Trophy, No. 2: Tom Seccombe, 1st; H. T. Siddons, 2nd; K. Murphy and D. Edwards, 3rd, div. S.B. Champ., 20-bird: F. Skate (Melb.), 1st, 20; H. T. Siddons (St. George), 2nd, 19; K. Murphy (Lismore), 3rd, 18; 12 yarder, W. Golden. 20-bird D.B. Handicap: H. T. Siddons, K. Murphy, div. 1st and 2nd; F. Skate, R. Bennett, A. Herdegen, E. Wedgwood, div. 3rd and 4th.

Saturday, Oct. 3. 5-bird D.B., comp. div.: G. D. T. Seccombe, G. Jarrett, R. Seccombe, V. Wullemin, K. Seccombe, K. Murphy, A. Murphy, W. Golden, C. Bowden, T. Seccombe, P. Thompson, H. Flood. 10-bird D.B. Trophy: K. Murphy, 1st; H. T. Siddons, 2nd; C. Bowden, 3rd. This shoot went to 52 birds before Siddons and Bowden missed. D.B. Championship, 20 birds: H. T. Siddons, 1st, 20; G. D. T. Seccombe, 2nd; C. Bowden, 3rd; K. Vidler (Lismore), 4th; a shoot-off for 2nd resulted in these placings. £100 Handicap, 30 birds Points: K. Murphy, 84 pts., 1st; K. Vidler, 83 pts., 2nd; C. Richardson, 81 pts., 3rd; 12 ydr., J. Neild.

Best breaks for the meeting: K. Murphy, 73; C. Bowden, 51; G. D. T. Seccombe, 39; H. T. Siddons, 35; T. Seccombe, 25. This is the first time 50 or better has been shot at these grounds, where many tricky conditions exist, and we think they are very good performances.

(Ted Wedgwood, Hon. Sec.)

COLAC (V.).—Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 25. Jim O'Donnell, a rising young trapshot from Camperdown, won his first open title at clay pigeons on Saturday, 17th Oct., 1953, when he defeated a field of 25 at the Colac Gun Club and annexed the Western District D.B. Championship. Weather conditions were perfect and the targets flew truly from the trap, with a minimum

of "no birds". An excellent luncheon was provided by Mrs. Leitch at the golf house. The main event was shot at 20 birds, and Jim O'Donnell was the only shooter to produce a possible. Two shooters, Tom Meek (Streatham) and George Crosse (Colac) shot 19/20. These two shooters tossed to decide second and third places. The sectional trophy for 12/14 yard shooters went to Vin O'Shannassy after a tie-shoot with Syd Lakey (Derrinallum). The president, Mr. V. O'Shannassy, thanked the shooters for their attendance and presented the trophies. He also extended appreciation to Mr. H. Mills for the excellent manner in which he conducted the shoot as official referee. The other events consisted of sweepstakes, the main scorers being Jack Forster (Geelong) and Ivor Wilson (Derrinallum).

Main results: Event 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. P. Armour, W. Gange, A. Hay, R. Jorgenson, 5/5. Event 2, 5-bird D.B.: div. P. Armour, J. O'Donnell, A. Hay, R. Jorgenson, 5/5. Event 3, 20 birds D.B. Championship: Jim O'Donnell, 20/20, 1st; G. Crosse, 19/20; 2nd, T. Meek, 19/20, 3rd (decision by toss of coin). 12/14 yd. section, V. O'Shannassy, 19/21. Event 4, 15-bird D.B.: J. Forster and I. Wilson, 15/15; J. O'Donnell, W. Gange, D. Corstorphane, T. Meek, 14/15. Event 5, 5-bird S.B.: div. R. Krentzlin, J. O'Donnell, R. Jorgenson, Ivor Wilson, C. Romeo, 5/5. Event 6, 5-bird D.B.: div. J. O'Donnell, J. Forster and R. Jorgenson, 10/10.

(D. Corstorphane, Hon. Sec.)

BARELLAN (N.S.W.), 10/10/53.—Event No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: D. Taylor, 1st, 10/10; 2nd, div. 9/10 each. C. J. Taylor, J. Scott, C. McConville, E. Evans, I. Evans and R. McNamara. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. L. Tyack, N. Thomas and E. Sutton, 10/10. No. 3, S. Western Districts of N.S.W. S.B. Championship: Newton Thomas, 20/20, 1st; D. Taylor, 18/20, 2nd; A. Allen (Deniliquin), 3rd, 17/20. No. 4, New South Wales Sparrow Championship: A strong, following wind drove the small targets fast and low and kept scores low. The outstanding shooter was R. Bushby (Narrandera), who won the Championship with a clean score of 20/20; A. Allen (Deniliquin), 2nd, 16/20, and Newton

Thomas, 24/30, 3rd, after a shoot-off with W. Crow and I. Evans. No. 5, 15-bird D.B. Sparrow: L. Tyack, 14/15, 1st; 2nd and 3rd, div. L. Dow, L. Sim, R. McNamara and A. Allen, 13/15.

(E. E. Albert, Pres.)

LONGREACH (Q.), 18/10/53.—Weather conditions: very hot and gusty. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: D. R. Bedford, 10/10; T. Barton, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Points, 3 and 2: D. R. Bedford, 27/30; R. Kavanagh, 26/30. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: D. R. Bedford, 18/20; P. Rudd, 17/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: R. McMillan, 10/10; N. Walsh, 9/10. No. 5, 30-bird D.B. Points, 3 and 2: R. McMillan, 89/90; C. Fielder, 83/90. No. 6, 10-bird S.B.: R. McMillan, 10/10; P. Rudd, 9/10; C. Fielder, 9/10; W. Newton, 9/10.

At the end of the day Ron McMillan was still going strong with an unfinished break of 50. This is a record for our club. Hope he goes on to a 100 break at the next shoot. A good day's sport was had by all shooters, who were not feeling very well in the morning, as our club's social evening was held the night before.

(W. H. L. Walsh, Hon. Sec.)

TULLIBIGEAL (N.S.W.), 3/10/53.—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Eye-opener: Newton Thomas, R. Bushby, K. Powell, div., 5/5. No. 2, Sweepstake, 10-bird: R. Bushby, H. Anderson, L. Sim, W. Cross, A. Martens, div., 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: R. Bushby, W. Cross, A. Martens, A. Tyack, 9/10. No. 4, 16 yds. Eye-opener: K. Powell. No. 5, South Western Districts D.B. Champ.: W. Cross, 1st, 20/20; Newton Thomas, 59/60, 2nd; H. Anderson, 58/60, 3rd; 12/14 yd., D. E. Sim, 17/20. No. 6, 10-bird Trophy: L. Sim, 20/20, 1st; N. Thomas, 19/20, 2nd; A. Frogley, 3rd, 14/15. No. 7, 5-bird Double Rise: L. Sim, 5/5, 1st; Newton Thomas, W. Gavel, R. Bushby, 3/5, div. 2nd and 3rd. No. 8, 10/- Sweep: L. Sim, A. Hodge, W. Cross, 5/5, div. No. 9, Box Sweep: A. Hodge, W. Cross, 5/5, div.

Weather warm and clear, slight wind. Attendance: 21 from Condobolin, Narrandera, Parkes, Grenfell and

Sydney. Best break of the day went to Newton Thomas with 66, H. Anderson with 59 next best. All present congratulated the ladies who provided a very fine dinner. Fine shooting by W. Cross, who won his first Championship.

(G. L. Sim, Hon. Sec.)

GIRU (Qld.).—Results of Championship shoot held on 18th October, 1953. 1st Event, 5-bird S.B. Eye-opener Sweepstakes: C. Archer, J. Burry and T. R. Marron Junr., div. 2nd Event, 5-bird D.B. Eye-opener Sweepstakes, Point Scoring: S. Di Bartolo, W. Carrington, J. Burry and H. Ransom, div. 3rd Event, £10 Handicap, 10-bird D.B.: S. Di Bartolo, J. Smith and J. Collinson, div. 4th Event, Deauville Doubles District Championship, 20 pairs: C. Archer - W. Carrington, 19/20, Trophy; J. Smith - L. Ashworth, 28/30. Optional Sweepstakes: C. Archer - W. Carrington, 19/20; J. Smith - L. Ashworth, 28/30; F. Delechantos - W. Delechantos, 24/27. 5th Event, £20 Handicap, 15 birds One visit: F. Claussen, 14/15; L. Ashworth, 13/15; S. Spina, 24/27. 6th Event, 10-bird D.B., equal scoring: H. Ransom, N. Desoto, S. Di Bartolo and C. Wellington, div.

(W. Delechantos, Hon. Sec.)

HARGRAVE PARK (N.S.W.), 10/10/53.—Weather conditions: fine, "sou-wester". Attendance: 15. No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: C. Plummer, C. Anderson, L. P. Hughes, G. West, W. Grieves and N. Rogley, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: C. Plummer, G. West and C. Nichols, 10/10, div. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Handicap: C. Anderson, W. Craig, G. West, C. Nichols and D. Nichols, 15/15, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: D. Nichols, 25/25; A. J. Matthews, 24/25, and C. Nichols, 24/25 (shoot-off between 6 shooters at 10/10). No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: C. Anderson, C. Nichols and A. J. Matthews, 10/10, div. No. 6, 5-bird D.B.: C. Nichols, 5/5.

(T. H. Horne, Hon. Sec.)

AUSTRALIAN (V.).—George, teen-age son of Vic Fankhauser, won the coveted Lord Birdwood Cup after a keen contest with Andy Tie on Oct. 17th. At the previous meeting George secured third Trophy in the main event with a score of 21/22. The

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CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT

Saturday December 12th. 1953

Commencing 9.30 a.m.

Goulburn & District Single Barrel Championship

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Cup was shot for at 20 birds from handicap marks, and although many noted shots were competing, varied elevation of the targets had them guessing, not one returned a possible. Six with 19/20 contested the tie shoot. J. Stevens and S. Power failed early, Ketchell failed on the 25th round, taking 15/16 yd. Trophy; K. Lowry on the 26th round took third Trophy, Andy Tie as runner-up failed to catch up with a fast right swinger, while George, who received an exact replica, broke his to dust. Sel Power and Cyril Fankhauser were in form at the opening 10 birder and div. the sweepstake, another 10-bird being div. V. Dudley, E. Brenk, K. Lowry and H. Belmore. Roy Fallshaw was again at home with the Skeet, winning an eight round of this tricky type of shooting with the only possible. At the previous meeting he was successful and has had quite a number of wins. A challenge match of 20 birds between Coburg and Australian Clubs resulted in a win for Coburg, who scored 171 to Aust., 165. A return match will be shot at Coburg in the near future. Jock Stevens, who lately has made steady progress, returned High Gun for the match, 19/20, heavily dusting his lost bird. Stevens also won 13/14 yd. honours in the Lord Birdwood Cup event.

Results shoot held October 31. C'wealth Clay Sparrow Champ., 40 targets from 20 yards, four 33/40's, tie shoot: C. Mudford, 38/45; R. Jorgenson, 56/70; L. Byrne, 55/70. No. 2, 10 birds: R. Jorgenson, R. Williams, Anderson, 10/10. No. 3, 10 birds, 10 possibles, tie shoot: R. Williams, Tie; F. C. Johns, 18/18. (H. H. Ball.)

ECHUCA (V.).—Echuca Gun Club held a successful shoot at clay birds on Saturday, 26/9/53. Shooters were present from Koyuga, Kotta, Kyabram, Nanneela, Tongala and Bawmawm Extension. Conditions were good and some excellent shooting was seen, particularly from A. Quinton, who shot 50/52 and 43 straight to cut six sweeps and win the main event.

Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. S. Holschier, G. McDonald, L. Gibson, 5/5. No. 2, 10 birds (3 trophies and front-marker, add 10/- sweep. L.

Scriven, F. Bradley, F. Bardley Jnr., A. Quinton and J. Pianta shot possible 10/10 to cut 10/- sweep. Shooting on for Trophies: A. Quinton, 1st trophy, 18/18; J. Pianta, 2nd trophy, 17/18; F. Bradley, 3rd trophy, 15/16; Front-marker trophy, F. Bradley Jnr., 12/13. No. 2, 5 birds S.B.: div. R. Adams, F. Dobson, G. McDonald, A. Quinton and R. Stagg, 5/5. No. 4, Walk-up (5 birds) D.B.: div. D. L. Scriven, A. Quinton and R. Stagg, 5/5. No. 5, Clay Sparrows, 5 birds: div. L. Scriven, A. Adams, A. Quinton, A. Rickards and G. Hodgson, 5/5. No. 6, 5 birds: div. J. Rickards and J. Pianta, 10/10. No. 7, Miss-out: div. R. Adams, R. McNeill, F. Bradley, F. Bradley Jnr. and A. Quinton, 6/6.

Deniliquin shooter, F. Robinson, won the Back-to-Echuca Handicap at the Centenary clay birds fixture held by the Echuca Gun Club on Saturday. In a keen contest he recorded 33 straight to win from F. Bradley, who notched 32/33. Despite the difficult conditions because of a gusty wind, the shooting was of very high standard and best break of the day was recorded by F. Bradley with 44 straight. He finished with a tally of 51/52, while R. Stagg (Tongala) got 36/37 and W. Cakebread, 30/32. Thirty-seven shooters took part and came from Alexandra, Castlemaine, Bendigo, Tongala, Shepparton, Deniliquin, Kyabram, Kotta, Cohuna and Nanneella.

Results: No. 1, 5 birds D.B.: div. K. Dobson, W. Cakebread, E. Lawton, R. Adams, L. Gibson, W. Santon, F. Bradley, G. McDonald, R. McNeill, G. McLeod, 6/6. No. 2, 5 birds D.B.: div. K. Dobson, W. Cakebread, E. Lawton, R. Adams, J. Pianta, F. Bradley, G. McDonald, R. McNeill, S. Jenvey, M. Spencer, 7/7. No. 3, Back-to-Echuca Handicap, 10 birds D.B.: E. Lawton, R. Adams, John Rickards, F. Bradley, R. McNeill, R. Stagg, E. Brinsmead, F. Robertson shot possible and div. 15/- sweep. Shooting on for the Trophies: 1st trophy and sash, F. Robinson (Deniliquin), 33/33; 2nd trophy, F. Bradley, 32/33; 3rd trophy, R. Stagg (Tongala), 28/29; Front-marker trophy, John Rickards, 14/15. No. 4, 5 birds D.B., 20 possibles: div. A. Quinton, F. Dobson, W. Cakebread,

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 R. Nicholson (Alexandra), F. Bradley,
 R. Stagg, R. Jones (Deniliquin),
 8/8.

(A. Rickards, Hon. Sec.)

GOONDIWINDI (Qld.).—Results
 September shoot: No. 1, 10 birds: div.
 "Pee Wee", H. B. Wade, N. Danes,
 C. Phillips, 13/13. No. 2, "Cobble-
 gundy", third and final leg: 1st, A. W.
 McIntosh, 58/60. No. 3 event, 20 birds
 D.B. Trophy: 1st, Sam Raymond, 59/
 60; 2nd, "Pee Wee", 58/60; 3rd, R.
 Thorsborne, 29/30; best 12 yarder,
 L. Pryor, 15/20. No. 4, Club S.B.
 Championship: 1st, A. W. McIntosh,
 24/25; 2nd, N. Danes, 23/25, and 3rd,
 "Pee Wee", 18/20. No. 5, 20 birds
 D.B. Handicap: 1st, A. W. McIntosh,
 48/50; 2nd, Les Raymond, 47/50; 3rd,
 N. Danes, 49/50; best 12 yarder, L.
 Pryor, 18/20; L. Pryor also won the
 12 yarder high gun of the day with
 75/90.

(S. J. O'Shea, Hon. Sec.)

WONGABRI (Bowral) (N.S.W.).—
 Results of shoot on 24th Oct., 1953.
 No. 1, 3rd round of Travellers' Tro-
 phy (5-bird D.B.): Oss. Sullivan, 17/
 17, 1st; J. Storrier, 16/17, 2nd; the
 sweep money went to J. Storrier,
 C. Tickle, T. R. Thompson, W. Ruddy,
 A. Shepherd, Newton Thomas, S.
 Lamb, W. McCloy and A. Henderson.
 No. 2, South Coast and Southern
 Tablelands D.B. Champ., 20-bird:
 T. R. Thompson (Griffith), 20/20, 1st;
 shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd by J. Stor-
 rier (Goulburn), Newton Thomas
 (Sydney) and Oss. Sullivan (Bow-
 ral) resulted in Newton Thomas
 2nd, J. Storrier 3rd. No. 3, £50 Han-
 dicap, 15 birds D.B.: 1st and 2nd, div.
 Newton Thomas (Sydney) and Ern
 Webb (Wollongong), and 3rd div.
 S. Lamb (Goulburn), W. McCloy
 (Wollongong), Oss. Sullivan (Bow-
 ral); best 12/14 ydr., M. Churchill.
 No. 4, H. Heat Trophy, 10-bird Point
 Score: S. Lamb, 29/30.

I wish to thank all visiting shoot-
 ers very sincerely for their patronage.
 (Edna G. Sullivan, Hon. Sec.)

CAPTAIN'S FLAT (N.S.W.).
 17/10/53.—Weather conditions: good.
 Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1,
 5-bird D.B.: B. Bollard, A. Bradley,
 E. Croker, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird S.B.:
 W. Jordan, Jim Medway, B. Bollard,
 Silent Rise: M. Edlington, 5/5; A.

E. Croker, 5/5, div. No. 3, 5-bird
 Bradley, 13/14, 2nd. No. 4, 10-bird
 (5 S.B., 5 D.B.) Trophy Hcp.: B.
 Delaney, 34/38, 1st; M. Edlington,
 32/38, 2nd; A. Bradley, 18/20, best
 12/13 yd. No. 5, 10-bird Trophy:
 J. Neeld, 16/17, 1st; J. Tilyard, 15/17,
 2nd; J. Brown, 10/11, 3rd. No. 6,
 10-bird £20 Point Score: 1st and 2nd,
 M. Edlington, C. Nomchong, B. De-
 laney, 29/30, div. 3rd and 4th. No. 7,
 10-bird D.B. Trophy: Jim Medway,
 27/27, 1st; J. Tilyard, 26/27, 2nd;
 B. Delaney, 20/21, 3rd. No. 8, 5-bird
 D.B. Walk-up: M. Edlington, 6/6; J.
 Storrier, 7/8; B. Bollard, 6/8. No. 9,
 3 prs. Double Rise: J. Brown, 3 prs.;
 J. Medway, 3/5 prs.

The shoot was conducted in aid of
 Legacy Funds; the Businessmen of
 the Flat, R.S.L. Club and Staff Club
 donated the trophies. All shooters
 were the guests of the R.S.L. Club
 at night, when a cheque for £77 was
 handed over to the Legacy represen-
 tative. A large number of spectators
 watched the shoot, great interest
 being taken in No. 7 event, the main
 trophy, Jim Medway (Dalton) being
 taken to 27 before it ended. Quean-
 beyan's president, Merv. Edlington,
 obtained three trophies and shared
 in the £20 Hcp., while the young
 local shooters Delaney and Bradley
 did well.

(E. G. Croker, Hon. Sec.)

DALBY (Qld.), 24/10/53.—Weath-
 er conditions: cloudy. Attendance:
 30. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B.: G.
 Reed, 5/5; J. Grayson, 5/5; M. Swaby,
 5/5. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.P.: L. Price,
 45/45, 1st; L. Kath, 44/45, 2nd; A.
 Ferguson, 43/45, best 12 yds. No. 3,
 20-bird S.B.: L. Kath, 19/20, 1st;
 W. Moore, 18/20; L. Winten, 18/20,
 shared 2nd and 3rd; W. Shand, best
 12 yds. Ladies' Event, Mrs. L. Kath,
 1st. No. 4, 5-bird S.B.

Although the day was cloudy, con-
 ditions were good for shooting. This
 shoot showed a marked improvement
 in novice shooters, which made the
 more experienced shooter keep up a
 higher standard of shooting to be
 placed in an event. On the whole, a
 most enjoyable day was had by all.

(C. E. Flegler, Hon. Sec.)

HOBART (Tas.), 29/8/53.—Weath-
 er conditions: overcast, cold west
 wind. Results: No. 1, 3 pairs Double

Rise Sweep: 1st, S. Marshall, 5/5; 2nd, R. Redpath, 4/5; P. Lowe, 4/5. No. 2, Club D. Rise Champ.: 1st, W. R. Morgan, 13/15; S. Marshall, 11/15; G. Gourlay, 14/20. No. 3, 5-bird Sweep: div. S. Marshall, G. Gourlay, R. Redpath, P. Lowe, J. McKenzie, J. Tyquin, E. G. Colbeck. No. 4, 20-bird 14 and 16 yd. Handicap: 1st, T. Cannon, Dr. J. Bryan, 20/20; 2nd, P. Lowe, 19/20; J. Taylor, 19/20, div. No. 5, 10-bird Sweep: T. Fisher, E. Colbeck, S. Marshall, G. Gourlay, T. Cannon, P. Lowe, div. No. 6, 10-bird D.R. Trophy: 19/20, Peter Lowe, P. Marshall, R. Redpath.

26/9/53. — Weather conditions: bright sunshine, no wind. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Sweep: Rex Powell, A. Birchall, T. Cannon, div. No. 2, State D.B. Champ.: S. Marshall, 20/20; T. Cannon, 29/30; E. McRae, 25/30. No. 3, £50 D.B. H'cap: J. Taylor, T. Cannon, A. Birchall, div. No. 4: S. Marshall, 10/10.

(D. Bridges, Hon. Sec.)

FOOTSCRAY (V.).—Results shoot October 31. No. 1, 5 birds: J. Moore, 10/10; P. Wray, 9/10. No. 2, 15 birds, Points: div. E. Kilcullen, C. Nicholls, K. Lowry, V. Fraser, 45/45 pts.; 12/14 ydr., A. Stewart, 43/45; 15/16 yarder, W. Williams, 40/45. No. 4, 5 birds: J. Johnston, 21/21.

COBURG (V.).—Results October 24. No. 1, 10 birds, Points: div. G. Wakefield (Mildura), A. Metcalf (Mildura), E. Brinsmead (Echuca), A. Ketchell, J. Jones, H. Belmore, G. Fankhauser, 30/30 points. No. 2, McCraith Shield: won by Echuca (F. Bradley, 20/20; A. Quinton, 19/20; E. Brinsmead, 18/20; F. Dobson, 19/20; K. Dobson, 17/20), Colac, Australian, Coburg, each 89/90. Echuca's aggregate was 93/100. High-gun in the Shield competition went to J. O'Donnell (Camperdown), 31/31; M. Dawson, 30/31; F. Bradley, 23/24; J. Foster (Geelong), 21/22 (best 14/15 yarder). Aggregate trophy went to W. Finnegan; 16/17 yarder, K. Lowry, 28/29; 12 yarder, A. Metcalf, 29/30; back-marker, F. Dobson (Echuca), 29/30.

DALTON (N.S.W.). 3/10/53. — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Sweepstakes: A. Lees, Jim Medway,

O. Hallam, L. Lees, K. Webster, B. Medway, A. Howard, R. Howard, G. Hinds, div. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, J. Storrier, 47; A. Lees, 2nd, 46; O. Hallam, 3rd, 35; S. Lamb, 4th, 32; D. Howard won 12 yarder. No. 3, Point Score Trophy: D. Howard, 1st, 39; J. Storrier, A. Lees, both 38.

Weather conditions very good, shooting keen; shooters from Goulburn, Gunning, Narroona, also locals. Owing to a slight breakdown in trap, retired early. Dalton will be holding an open shoot on 5th December with a good programme.

BATHURST (N.S.W.). — Open shoot 10th, 11th and 12th October, 1953. First a brickbat for the weather man, who turned on poor weather for the week-end during our big shoot; secondly, a bouquet for the shooters who braved the weather in large numbers. Congratulations to the Cobar combination, Frank and Neil Singleton, who won the N.S.W. Deauville Doubles title in a half-gale with a full score of 20/20. It was a masterly combination, and Frank handled those curly right handers nicely, while Neil's youth helped him catch those jet-propelled left handers. Local combinations, J. Brazier-L. Healey and S. Bressington-W. Byers shot off for second place after finishing 19/20, Brazier-Healey winning 24/25 to 22/25 prs. Big breaks were the order later in the shoot, Beau Taylor (Orange) commencing the first break on Saturday night late and Jim York (Quirindi) finishing on Monday with a 97. Congratulations to Billy Manns (Cobar), who made the century with 109; J. York, 97; J. H. Howard (Bigga), 84; H. Taylor, 67; L. Lupp, 64, and Ray Melville (Newcastle), 56.

Results Sat., 12th Oct. No. 1, 6 prs. D.D.: div. 5 pairs. No. 2, N.S.W. D.D. C'ship: N. and F. Singleton (Cobar), 20/20, 1st; J. Brazier-L. Healey (Bathurst), 24/25, 2nd. No. 3, £50 H'cap: div. A. Catts, J. Connor, L. Morris, A. Beadle and H. Blunt, all 15/15. No. 4, £100 H'cap: div. J. Brazier, C. Campbell, L. Lupp, W. Manns, K. Soames Snr., R. Campbell, K. McCalman, F. Singleton, D. Simpson and J. and D. York, 15/15. No. 5, Double Trophy: 1st, K. Soames Snr., 46/46; 2nd, W. Manns, 45/46. No. 6, £1 Sweepstake, 15 birds: div.

Sunday, 11th Oct. No. 1, £50 H'cap: div. N. Bacigalupo, G. Nash, A. Ovens, R. Melville, D. York, W. Rutty, M. Burgess, H. Anderson, D. Scowcroft, S. Bressington, N. Soames, H. Cross and H. Taylor. No. 2, £500 H'cap, 30 birds,, 59 entries, 6 possibles: M. Burgess (Cobar), L. Lupp (Bathurst), W. Manns (Cobar), J. N. Brazier (Bathurst), H. Taylor (Orange) and C. Barraclough (Willacannia), 30/30, div.; 12 others 29/30, div. No. 3, Double Trophy, 15 birds, 12 possibles: won by W Manns (Cobar), 62/62, from J. H. Howard (Bigga), 61/62, who took 2nd trophy. No. 4, £1 Sweepstakes, 51 entries: div. M. Brennan, J. Brazier, A. Catts, F. Hudson, H. Taylor, H. Cross, A. Ovens, S. Bressington, M. Veech, N. Singleton, F. Singleton, D. Devine, L. Morris, R. Melville, K. Soames Jnr., C. Morrissey and A. Campbell.

Monday, 12th Oct. No. 1, £1 Sweepstakes: div. D. Osborne, Neil Singleton, J. Brazier, C. Campbell, D. Scowcroft, S. Bressington, J. York, L. Lupp, K. S. Soames and K. R. Soames. No. 2, £50 H'cap: div. D. Osborne, F. Singleton, C. Campbell,

M. Smith, C. Wilkinson, W. Manns, J. York, K. McCalman and K. Soames. No. 3, £50 H'cap: M. Veech, E. Ginty, J. York, D. York, H. Cross, N. Soames, A. Ovens and J. Connor. No. 4, Double Trophy, 10 possibles, 15/15: J. Connor, 49/49; 2nd trophy, J. York, 48/49; 12 yd. Trophy won by N. Soames, 16/17. No. 5, £100 Bathurst 6-hour Day H'cap, 11 possibles, 15/15: div. D. Scowcroft, C. Wakefield, M. Smith, K. Soames, M. Burgess, C. Campbell, G. Wilkinson, J. Brazier, A. Catts, L. Lupp and E. Weine; Sash won by M. Smith (Sydney), 35/35, from M. Burgess (Cobar). No. 6, £30 H'cap, 15 birds, 7 possibles: div. D. Osborne, H. Cross, W. Manns, J. Connor, J. Howland, H. Weinert and S. Bressington. No. 7, £50 H'cap: div. D. Osborne, K. Soames Snr., K. Soames Jnr., M. Burgess, R. Campbell and J. Connor, all 20/20. No. 8, £1 Sweepstake, 15 birds: div. K. Soames Jnr., N. Soames, J. Connor, M. Burgess, W. Manns, 15/15.

The Club hopes that all visitors enjoyed the shoot.

(V. Howard, Hon. Sec.)



A Group at Coffs Harbour.
Centre, H. T. Siddons (St. George); Right, G. D. T. Seecombe (Coffs Harbour); Left, C. Bowden (Coffs Harbour).

A.C.P.T.S.A. Championship Allocation, 1954

The following is the Australian Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Association Championship allocation for 1954. It should be noted that any minor championships, not allotted or shown in this list may be applied for to the Association Secretary during 1954. (This allocation is official and should be accepted as such by all concerned.)

A.C.P.T.S.A. Annual Shoot, March 6th, 8th and 9th, 1954, at East Burwood, V.

COMMONWEALTH CHAMPIONSHIPS.

DOUBLE BARREL	HOBART (Tas.)
SINGLE BARREL	TOWNSVILLE (Qld.)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES	ROYAL AERO CLUB OF N.S.W.
DOUBLE-RISE	GRIFFITH (N.S.W.)
MIXED BIRDS	AUSTRALIAN (Vic.)
WALK-UP	MILDURA (Vic.)
SKEET	BATHURST (N.S.W.)
TOWER	HOBART (Tas.)
DOUBLE BARREL SPARROW	YOUNG (N.S.W.)
SINGLE BARREL SPARROW	GOULBURN (N.S.W.)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES SPARROWS	GOONDIWINDI (Qld.)

COMMONWEALTH NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIPS.

DOUBLE BARREL	SOUTH COAST (Qld.)
SINGLE BARREL	GRENFELL
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES	GRIFFITH
DOUBLE-RISE	HAY

QUEENSLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS.

STATE

Double Barrel—Charleville
Single Barrel—Roma
Deauville Doubles—Burdekin
Double-Rise—Tully
Mixed Birds—Goondiwindi
Walk-Up—Dalby
Skeet—Townsville
Tower—Charters Towers
Double Barrel Sparrow—Cairns
Single Barrel Sparrow—South Coast
Mixed Birds Sparrows—Tully
Intermediate Double Barrel—Burdekin
Intermediate Single Barrel—Roma

DISTRICT

Nth. Qld. Deauville Doubles Sparrows—Giru
Nth. Qld. Deauville Doubles Sparrows—Herbert River
Cent. Western Queensland Double Barrel—Longreach
Cent. Western Queensland Single Barrel—Tambo
South Queensland Double Barrel—Clara Creek

South Queensland Single Barrel—St. George
Warrego Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Charleville
Wagamba Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Goondiwindi
Warroo Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Surat
Wambo Shire Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Dalby
Barcoo Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Tambo
North Queensland Mixed Sparrow Birds—Cairns
North Queensland Double Barrel—Atherton
North Queensland Single Barrel—Giru
North Queensland Walk-Up—Burdekin
North Queensland Double Barrel Sparrow—Townsville
South Western Queensland Double Barrel—Surat
North Queensland Tower—Charters Towers
North Queensland Deauville Doubles—Charters Towers

North Queensland Double Rise—Herbert River
Balonne District Double Barrel and Single Barrel—St. George
North Queensland Single Barrel Sparrow—Atherton
South Western Queensland Single Barrel—Cunnamulla
Cent. Queensland Double Barrel and D. Doubles—Rockhampton

Cent. Queensland Single Barrel and Walk-Up—Biloela

NIGHT

Double Barrel—South Coast
Single Barrel—South Coast
South Queensland Double Barrel—South Coast
South Queensland Single Barrel—South Coast

NEW SOUTH WALES CHAMPIONSHIPS.

STATE

Double Barrel—Grenfell
Single Barrel—Narrandera
Deauville Doubles—Young
Double Rise—Hay
Mixed Birds—Dubbo
Walk-Up—Queanbeyan
Skeet—Royal Aero Club of N.S.W.
Double Barrel Sparrow—Tullibigeal
Single Barrel Sparrow—Deniliquin
Deauville Doubles Sparrow—Lismore
Intermediate Double Barrel—Royal Aero Club of N.S.W.
Intermediate Single Barrel—Griffith

DISTRICT

Central District Double Barrel—Young
Central District Deauville Doubles—Young
North Coast Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Richmond River
North East District Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Lismore
North West Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Boggabri
Central District Single Barrel—Grenfell
New England Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Tamworth
Bathurst Dist. Double Barrel, Single Barrel, Deauville Doubles and Skeet—Bathurst
Gwydir District Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Moree
Riverina Walk-Up—Deniliquin
Riverina Double Barrel—Griffith
Riverina Single Barrel—Hay
Riverina Deauville Doubles—Barellan
Central Riverina Double Barrel—Narrandera
Central Riverina Single Barrel—Deniliquin
Central Riverina Double Rise—Barellan
Central Riverina Deauville Doubles—Narrandera
Southern Riverina Double Barrel—Border
Hay Dist. Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Hay

Northern Riverina Double Barrel, Single Barrel and Walk-Up—Cootamundra
Northern Rivers Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Coff's Harbour
Sydney Double Barrel—Hargrave
Sydney Single Barrel—Sydney
Sydney Deauville Doubles—Hornsby
Sydney Double Rise—Stonehenge
Sydney Mixed Birds—Sydney
All Goulburn District—Goulburn
Sydney Skeet—Royal Aero Club of N.S.W.

N.E. Riverina Double Barrel, Double Rise and Mixed Birds—Gidginbung

County of Cumberland Double Barrel, Single Barrel, Deauville Doubles, Double Rise, Mixed Birds, Walk-Up and Skeet—Royal Aero Club of N.S.W.

Central Western District Double Barrel, Single Barrel, Deauville Doubles and Mixed Birds—Narromine

Far West District Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Cobar

Southern District N.S.W. Double Barrel, Single Barrel and Deauville Doubles—Queanbeyan

South Western District Double Barrel and Mixed Birds—Tullibigeal

Barwon District Double Barrel—Collarenebri

Southern Tablelands Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Gunning

Southern Tablelands D. Doubles and Walk-Up—Yass

NIGHT

Double Barrel—Grenfell
Single Barrel—Hay
Double Rise—Griffith
Walk-Up—Griffith
Central District Double Barrel—Grenfell
Hay Dist. Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Hay
Riverina Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Griffith

VICTORIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

STATE

Double Barrel—Colac
Single Barrel—Alexandra
Deauville Doubles—Mildura
Double Rise—Camberwell
Walk-Up—Keilor
Skeet—Australian
Victorian D.B. Sparrow—Sale
Vic. S.B. Sparrow—Portarlington
Victorian D.B. Intermediate—Coburg
Vic. S.B. Intermediate—Australian

DISTRICT

Metropolitan Double Barrel—Aust.
Metropolitan Single Barrel—Footscray
Metropolitan Deauville Doubles—Coburg
Metropolitan Double Rise—Keilor
Metropolitan Walk-Up—Coburg
Metropolitan Skeet—Footscray
Metropolitan Mixed Birds—Camberwell
Keilor Plains Double Barrel—Keilor
North Central Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Alexandra
Loddon Valley Double Barrel and Single Barrel, Double Rise and Skeet—Myers Flat

Wimmera Double Barrel—Donald
Wimmera Deauville Doubles—Horsham
Wimmera Double Rise and Skeet—Horsham
Goulburn Valley Double Barrel—Shepparton
Goulburn Valley Single Barrel—Seymour
Gippsland Single Barrel—Drouin
Gippsland Deauville Doubles—Yallourn
Gippsland Double Barrel—Sale
N.E. Double Barrel—Seymour
Western District Double Barrel—Derrinallum
Western District Deauville Doubles—Colac
Western District Single Barrel—Geelong
Western District Double Rise and Walk-Up—Geelong

NIGHT

Victorian Double Barrel—Australian
Victorian Single Barrel—Donald
Wimmera Double Barrel—Donald
Loddon Valley Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Myers Flat

TASMANIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

STATE

Double Barrel—Tasmanian
Single Barrel—Cressy
Deauville Doubles—Cressy
Double Rise—Hobart
Walk-Up—Tasmanian
Skeet—Tasmanian
Mixed Birds—Bothwell
Tower—Hobart

Double Barrel Intermediate—Tasmanian
Single Barrel Intermediate—Hobart

DISTRICT

Northern Districts Double Barrel—Cressy
Northern Districts Single Barrel—Tasmanian
Southern Districts Double Barrel—Bothwell

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

STATE

Double Barrel—Mt. Barker
Single Barrel—Adelaide
Deauville Doubles—Moorak
Double Rise—Alexandra
Mixed Birds—Mt. Barker
Double Barrel Sparrow—Adelaide

DISTRICT

Mt. Barker District Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Mt. Barker
Adelaide Hills Double Barrel and Single Barrel—Mt. Barker

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

STATE

Double Barrel—Perth
Single Barrel—Katanning
Deauville Doubles—Geraldton
Double Rise—Kellerberrin
Walk-Up—Cunderdin
Skeet—Perth
Mixed Birds—Geraldton

DISTRICT

South West Double Barrel—Katanning
Eastern Districts Double Barrel—Cunderdin
Eastern Districts Single Barrel—Kellerberrin
Intermediate—Perth

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